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C. A. ANDERSON, WIDELY KNOWN MATTESON MAN HANGS HIMSELF

Matteson was greatly shocked Sunday morning when the news rapidly spread that C. A. Anderson, well known business man of Matteson had committed suicide by hanging.

About ten o'clock Sunday morning Fred Krumweide, who has been working for Mr. Anderson went to the barn to shake some hay down from the loft and was horrified to see the body of his employer hanging from a rafter. Mr. Krumweide quickly reported the matter to his townspeople and the coroner at Chicago Heights was notified and came and cut the body down and took it to Chicago Heights where an inquest was held Monday, the jury returning a verdict of suicide by hanging. Immediately after the inquest the deceased was buried in the Oak Glenn cemetery. It is supposed the deceased hung himself early Sunday morning as body was cold when discovered.

The only motive that can be assigned as the cause of Mr. Anderson ending his life, is grief and worry over the death of a child a week ago. Mr. Anderson is survived by his widow and three children beside relatives in Sweden.

Mr. Anderson conducted a market and grocery in Matteson for about nine or ten years and was widely known throughout Southern Cook County. He always had a good trade and was in apparently good health. He was about 35 years old.

C. E. HENEY RESIDENCE, OLD MOKENA LANDMARK DESTROYED BY FIRE SUN.

The residence of C. E. Heney, located about two miles south of Mokena was destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon. About four o'clock one of the children while playing in the yard saw smoke coming from the roof of the summer kitchen and quickly ran in the house and told her father, seized a bucket of water and ran for the summer kitchen. As he opened the door the kitchen was a mass of flames and he was painfully burned when the flames struck him burning the hair off his head as well as his eyebrows. Not having a telephone and living some distance from a neighbor and having no way of fighting the fire, the building was an easy prey for the flames. By the time help came from the village the building was all on fire. Very little of the household goods were saved. The loss is partly covered by insurance. It is thought sparks from the chimney fell on the roof and probably smoldered all afternoon before bursting out in a blaze. The dwelling was an old land mark and was known as the old Lorenz homestead for many years.

FOR SALE—Acorn cook stove; good condition at a bargain. Inquire Fred Steinhagen, Mokena, Ill.

FOR SALE—Zenith Radio Set. Miss Edna Schmuhl, Mokena, Ill.



When the Doctor Comes

The most comforting that you can have when the Doctor comes, is that there is money in the bank to meet the increased expense that comes with him. Live in the present, as though you were a little poorer than

BURNING OUT OF BANK LIGHT CAUSES ARREST OF DEMENTED MAN

Thursday night Mokena had a little scare when the electric light in the bank suddenly went out giving rise to the idea that bank robbers were busy. At the same time a report spread that a stranger was in town trying to sell a rifle. Marshall John Frisch traced the man up and arrested him on suspicion and locked him up. When questioned the man talked in vague terms and his mind appeared a blank. He said he had worked in a quarry and that he came to Mokena to shoot rats. He said he had sold the gun to a local party. The apparently demented man was taken to Joliet Friday morning by deputies Frisch and Fischer and given a hearing before Justice McColluch who continued the case for ten days.

WORK BEGUN ON CONCRETE LINCOLN WAY EAST OF NEW LENOX

At last real active work has been started on concreting the Lincoln highway in New Lenox township. The new contractors have started pouring concrete east of here where former contractor Bannon left off. Plans are being made to concrete this highway up to the site of the dance hall in New Lenox before the cold weather stops the work entirely.

The Ladies of Grace Episcopal church will hold an indoor carnival in the Grange Hall on the night of November 2nd.

Miss Esther Pugh has taken up a position as operator with the local office of the Illinois Bell Telephone Company.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will hold their annual bazaar in the church parlors the afternoon and evening of November 3. There will be all kinds of useful as pretty articles on sale suitable for Christmas gifts. There will be a fancy work, apron and candy booth in addition to the country store. A supper will be served.

The moving pictures which were shown every Wednesday night at the M. E. church proved such a popular form of amusement for the people of this village and vicinity that they will be held every Friday evening thruout the Fall and winter beginning with Friday evening of this week. These movies are good, clean as well as educational and interesting means of amusement for young and old and forcefully show what church can do for a community and this is real community work.

The Epworth League is sponsoring these movie programs.

The Epworth League had an interesting program Sunday night when slides on "The Four Seasons" were shown.

Rev. A. W. Hamilton attended a ministerial meeting in Chicago on Monday.

New Lenox was well represented at the tri-annual meeting of the Will County Home Improvement Clubs held in the Community House at Plainfield Tuesday.

A Newspaper's TWO Sources of Revenue

Subscriptions and Advertising Are the Only Sources of Revenue a Newspaper Has and Often the Subscriptions Do Not Pay for the Cost of White Paper

Advertising today, especially in newspapers, is the greatest business getter there is. This is acknowledged by men who know. People read advertisements in newspapers. They have been educated to do so. Every merchant in our town ought to advertise. You remember the story about John Wanamaker? The first day he was in business his receipts were \$24.64. He kept the 64 cents and spent the \$24 the next day in advertising. We all can't duplicate this feat, but according to the best statistics available three per cent of the gross sales should be put aside for advertising.

Possibly you will say, "I don't need to advertise. I've been in this town thirty years and everybody knows me."

Probably they do, but did you ever stop to think of the sales you lose because your fellow competitor advertises? He may advertise the same goods you have in your stock, but the people don't know you have them. The other fellow gets the sale because he advertises. And, then, how much more business you would do if you did advertise?

We know of one merchant who advertised a lot of goods at 19 cents a yard. They cost him 27 cents. He took a clean loss, but while the sale was going on he could buy new goods at 12 cents. He put them in with the other goods and the result was that he cleaned his shelves of the old goods and he broke even on the deal. Advertising and good buying liquidated his stock without a loss.

We can't all be John Wanamakers, but we all can advertise in proportion to our business. Results will be sure if you advertise honestly and give service. A newspaper can bring people to your store, but it can't make people buy your goods. Your clerks must do that, and it depends on the service you give as to how successful your business will be.

What is done in the big cities can be done right here in this town if you will show the pep, give the service and advertise. Make business good. You can do it through this newspaper.

ORLAND READY TO SIGN UP

ELECTRIC LIGHT CONTRACT

At the next village board meeting the contract for electric street lights will most likely be signed, as the Public Service Company is working on the Orland proposition.

Cinders have been placed on Beacon Street south of 143rd street. Cinders will also be put on all streets to eliminate the bad holes and ruts.

The following have moved into Raney's subdivision this summer and are living in Raney built houses:

Harold S. Kinney, Robert Hughes, Bill O'Laughlin and Nick Steinmetz. Mr. Raney has just completed three beautiful bungalows and has laid the foundations for two more and has staked out another two. Orland needs such progressive men of Mr. Raney's caliber to boom the town and build houses, thereby showing their confidence in the future of this town.

All farmers are requested to affix a tail light into their wagons or buggies when entering town at to avoid being hit. After Monday, October 22 the motorcycle police will enforce this part of the state law.

The motorcycle police received his commission Tuesday and is on the job now. His salary is fixed at \$100 per month instead of \$75 as was reported in last week's issue thru error.

Reverends W. C. Greve of Orland and Wm. Greve of Tinley Park attended conference of the southern half of Northern Illinois District at Rev. Martin's church at 91st and Houston Ave.

Mr. Creer has installed a Sherer display counter which certainly will add materially to attract trade because every thing is kept clean and sanitary.

H. Stortz is building a new house on his farm east of town.

The bazaar of the Ladies Guild of the Orland Methodist church proved a huge success. Over 200 people were served with a delightful supper. A great many had to be turned away. Everything was completely sold out. A neat sum was cleared, over \$300 being clear after all bills were paid.

The Ladies Guild of the Methodist church have installed a Caloric furnace in the Methodist parsonage so that the minister, Rev. Ruhland will be welcomed with this much needed modern convenience.

The Illinois Motor Club will hold a meeting some time next week. Literature will be mailed to every automobile owner. For particulars inquire of Rev. W. C. Greve.

Sarah Kruspe is home on a short vacation.

ST. JOHN'S EVAN. CHURCH MOKENA, ILLINOIS

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

The congregation will observe its annual Mission Festival next Sunday Rev. M. Weber of Beecher, Rev. G. Lambrecht of Frankfort, Rev. J. J. Braun of Chicago and Deaconess Antonie will be the speakers. Services in the German language at 10:30 a. m.

Evening services in American at 7:30 o'clock.

Special music by the choir. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The Ladies Aid bazaar will be held at the church on Wednesday afternoon and evening October 24th. All kinds of useful articles for sale.

Cafeteria supper served at 4:30 p. m. Come and bring your friends.

The Evang. League will hold its monthly meeting Friday, October 26 at the church at 8 p. m. Please come!

The 1924 confirmation class has an enrollment of 18 members thus far. We hope to see it grow in numbers still more. The instructions began the first Tuesday of the month and a fine interest is evidenced by all.

Following are the members: Walter Bettenhausen, Clyde Knudson, Harold Geuther, Richard Kohl, Alvin and Melvin Kohlman, Albert Lehnert, Robert Maue, Richard Mueller, Gladys Cappel, Mildred Cappel, Minna Junker, Clara Keuch, Edna Newell, Florence Schweser, Lucile Warning, Evelyn Hacker and Mildred Woodrich.

Wm. Kreis, Pastor.

M. E. BAZAAR DEC. 5th.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Mokena M. E. church will their annual bazaar and supper at the church parlors the afternoon and evening of December 5th. A parcel post sale will be one of the many features. All kinds of articles that will be very suitable for Christmas gifts will be on sale.

EXPERT REPAIRING

of Jewellery, watches and clocks. First Class work Guaranteed. MRS. AL. BRIGGS, ORLAND, ILL. Opposite Post-office. Tel. 22-R

The bazaar of the Ladies Aid of Christ Lutheran church will be held on November 9th at the school.

No trace whatever has been found of the negroes who robbed the Orland post office a week ago. It is now doubtful if they will ever be caught.

WANTED—Two good carpenters helpers. Apply

WM. RANEY, Orland. Tel. 21-J

MISS AGNES FRISCH OF MOKENA IS FALL BRIDE

One of the most elaborate wedding ceremonies which has been solemnized in Mokena for a long time took place Wednesday morning at St. Mary's Catholic church when Miss Agnes Frisch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Frisch of Mokena and Joseph Hyden, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hyden of Canton, Ohio, were united in marriage. Promptly at the appointed time of 9:30 o'clock the bridal party marched into the church and down the aisle to the altar amid the strains of the wedding march which was played by Miss Margarete Wachter. Jacob Scholter of Hammond, Indiana an uncle of the bride, gave the bride away. Rev. Father Richards of Chicago performed the ceremony.

The bride was gorgeously gowned in white satin with pearl trimming. She wore a veil caught with lilies of the valley and a crown of pearls. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and brides roses with white satin streamers. The bride wore white satin slippers.

Miss Hastings of Chicago, was the bridesmaid. She was daintily attired in orchid colors and carried an ivory bouquet of roses. Miss Adeline Hasses of Hammond, Indiana was the maid of honor. Her costume was of autumn shade and she carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. Irvin Rinke of Mokena was the best man. Both he and the groom were attired in morning dress.

Chas. Rinke served as usher at the church.

The church was beautifully decorated with autumn flowers. Leon Tonn, Mokena's well known sweet singer sang two solos "I Love You Truly" and "At Dawning".

Following the ceremony the bridal party went to the home of the bride where a wedding breakfast was served to 45 guests at 11 o'clock. The bride's cake one and a half feet high graced the center of the table. The Misses Elizabeth Rinke and Margarete served at the table.

The rooms were prettily decorated in orchids and pink with autumn leaves. The bride received many beautiful gifts.

The bride's going away suit was of black velvet trimmed in grey chiffon and pleated silver lace.

The out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John Hyden of Canton, Ohio, parents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Scholter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scholter of Hammond, Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hasses, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hasses, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Mohr and Mr. and Mrs. J. Gould, all of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. George Johler, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Johler and son, all of Blue Island.

The bridal couple left the same evening for a wedding trip. They will reside in Chicago where the groom is employed on the Board of Trade.

FRANKFORT MAN HAS

ENVIALE RECORD

Mr. John Baumgartner of Frankfort Township reported to the farm bureau last week, some results of sweet clover pasture for dairy cows, which should be of interest to all dairymen in Will County.

Mr. Baumgartner stated that he had been pasturing his cattle on a non-legume pasture during the spring. The first of June he turned the cows into 8 acres of sweet clover pasture, and within 4 days they had increased the returns by one short rest period, and the cattle turned on again with the same resulting increase. Sweet clover, when handled properly, makes an ideal pasture for dairy cattle.

Mr. Baumgartner is also using sweet clover as a catch crop and green manure crop, and is much pleased with the results it is giving in increased yields of crops following this treatment.

—Farmers' Weekly Review.

NAUGHTY BOVINES

SCARE MOKENA TEACHERS

Miss Jones, Miss Prallberg and Miss Darling were seen going in the direction of the Picnic Grove with suspicious looking bundles about supper time some days ago. The report is they were frightened home by cows.

TINLEY PARK SCENE OF SERIOUS AUTO ACCIDENT

Several young people from Chicago were injured Sunday evening when their car collided with a concrete bridge near Bachelor's Grove. The driver said the steering knuckle of the car broke causing him to lose control of the car. One young lady was quite badly cut by the broken glass from the windshield.

Another young lady got out of the wrong side of the car and was hit by an auto driven by Harry Barenz. She sustained a broken leg. Dr. Eckstadt was called and took her to a hospital.

George Schreiber visited with friends in Austin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Andres have sent cards to Tinley Park friends from Overton, Nebraska where they are visiting relatives. They report the first frost of the season there a week ago. They expect to go to West Point and visit with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Andres visited in Chicago with relatives over Sunday.

The box social which was held at the Edward Andres home last Tuesday night was very largely attended and the lunch boxes brought fancy prices. Over \$60 was cleared. The affair was given under the auspices of the young people of the German M. E. church.

Tinley Park is being well supplied with soft and hard coal, the Beatty Lumber Company getting in a number of cars the past week.

George Lorenz will hold a harvest picnic and dance at the Saenger hall this coming Saturday night. A jazz band from Harvey will furnish the music.

Rev. Elmer D. Palmer who has been serving the Tinley Park M. E. church as pastor the past year, has been returned to this charge for another year.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Zion Lutheran church will hold a bazaar and supper at the Saenger hall on the afternoon and evening of November first. Everyone welcome.

Herman Oetjins has taken charge of the Davis farm as manager, succeeding Mr. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mancke visited in Chicago with relatives over Sun. The Ladies Aid Society of the German M. E. church will hold a bazaar and supper at the Saenger hall on December 4th.

Dr. Wunderlich of Germany who is studying American Sunday school work, spoke at the German M. E. church Sunday night. He gave a very graphic word picture of the deplorable conditions that exist in Germany today. He said that as their money is well worth, the young people of Germany are not saving anymore for a mark of to-day may be next to worthless tomorrow. They spend their money while it has any value.

The hard times have caused many people to turn infidels and they no longer believe in a God, while on the other hand those whose faith is still firm through the churches. The churches are doing all they can to encourage the people so as to prevent them from going over into revolution. In spite of all the gloom Dr. Wunderlich still hopes for a better future. As a result of the Ruhr invasion by the French many families have been driven from their homes and as a result they have had to take up their residence in other cities so that it is no uncommon thing to find five and six persons living in one room.

FRANK OGDEN BURIED

AT NEW LENOX

Frank Ogden, one time section foreman on the Rock Island who died about a year ago at Peoria and was interred in a cemetery there, was taken up and reburied at New Lenox the past week. His sister-in-law had him re-buried beside his wife in the local Maplewood cemetery.

PALOS PARK NOTES

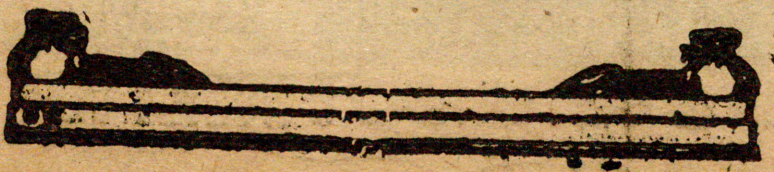
Mr. and Mrs. Moran, the latter being formerly Miss Gladys Munch of Palos, are the proud parents of a little daughter born to them Oct. 10. The mother is staying at the home of her parents for the present.

A school trustee meeting was held at the home of Mr. Quinn Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. GBransky and daughter visited with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Triebel Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Traub attended a matinee Wednesday evening at the Englewood High school.

The Orland State Bank



John Solomon, Incognito



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CHAPTER XVII—Continued.

"You are an evil man, P'tit Jean," she returned calmly. "I know what you have done here; you are not a man, but a degraded beast. Go your way and await your punishment. What have you to do with me?"

Petit Jean started. "You know—nonsense! You know nothing!" he snarled. "I say you belong to me—like this!"

And he came toward her, with the devil dancing in his eyes.

Meantime, outside at the head of the companionway, John Solomon was standing, his blank blue eyes fastened upon the burly figure of Alcee, the guard. Alcee had hooked a fish on his line, and was standing, half leaning over the rail, peering down.

Solomon shook his head half regretfully, and stuffed his clay pipe into his pocket. His hand came forth, and brought with it a queer knife, with a haft of heavy lead. He poised it in his hand, and looked again at the figure of Alcee.

This knife was the same which had supposedly been lost when Gros Michel was slain.

An instant later, the knife left his hand. The haft of lead struck the man Alcee just at the base of the skull.

This time, the knife actually did go overboard.

CHAPTER XVIII

As John Solomon descended the companion ladder, a sound came to his ears. It was a low, involuntary cry—the only one that Aline Lavergne uttered.

She stood against one wall of the saloon cabin, shrinking from Petit Jean, and yet having no fear in her eyes. In the body, she shrank back; in the spirit, she met him fairly and unafraid. The outlaw, who had seized her wrist, stood leering into her face as though seeking to overwhelm that spirit of hers with his evil power.

"Come!" he was saying. "Come, look at the pearls which shall be yours, the pearls which shall glimmer on your bosom when you are mine."

"Begg'n' your pardon, sir," said the apologetic voice of Solomon, "but I'd like to 'ave a word with you about them 'ere pearls me own self."

Loosing the girl's wrist, Petit Jean turned. He glared at the steward, not comprehending what had been said.

"Get out of there," he ordered.

"Yes, sir," said Solomon, "but I want to 'ave a word with you first, just like that."

Solomon was stuffing tobacco into his clay pipe in his placid manner. He appeared quite unconcerned, and the gaze of those blank blue eyes fairly staggered Petit Jean for an instant.

"What are you talking about?" snarled the outlaw. "Didn't you hear me say to get out?"

Solomon scratched a match and held it to his pipe.

"You and me," he said wheezily, "are goin' to 'ave a bit o' talk. This 'ere paper was in that box o' stones, sir. If you'll be so good as to read it, you'll see what I'm a-gettin' at. And if I was you, I'd take it calm, as the old gent said when 'e kissed the 'ousekeeper."

Solomon extended a scrap of paper. Astonished and perplexed by this attitude of humility mingled with cool defiance, Petit Jean took it and glanced at the lines of writing. His eyes widened with astounded surprise. Aline Lavergne, at a sign from Solomon, remained motionless where she was.

Dropping the paper, Petit Jean took a step backward, against the table. He was now staring at Solomon; one hand crept behind his back, fumbled with the two little boxes of wood, slipped them into his pocket. Still he stared, an incredulous, uneasy wonder in his eyes.

"You—what sort of joke is this?" he croaked. Hoarse fury crept into his voice. "You fool, have you gone crazy? Lavergne never left this stuff for—you?"

"Yes, 'e did, just like that 'ere paper says," returned Solomon.

He puffed at his pipe a moment; he was absorbed in this, quite ignoring the menace of that half-crouching, devil-eyed figure against the table. Then he resumed, placidly, as though conducting a perfectly matter-of-fact conversation.

"You see, sir, me and Mr. Lavergne was werry good friends, just like that! I give 'im these 'ere things to keep for me, 'cause why, he'd never 'ave took 'em as a present. Later on, I wrote 'im sayin' they was 'is—but 'im afraid that 'ere letter never got to 'im."

A hoarse, incredulous burst of laughter broke from Petit Jean.

"You!" he cried. "You—fool that you are! What mad dream is this?"

"Why, sir, it's all gospel!" exclaimed Solomon, looking slightly injured. "So when I come to see me old friend, and

'eard as 'ow them 'ere Macartys were a-plannin' some injury to Miss Aline, why, I ups an' makes me own plans, just like that! Them 'ere two Arabs in Ah Lee's gang, they was werry good friends o' mine. So was Ah Lee."

Solomon came to an end, and went on puffing calmly at his pipe.

Petit Jean, who was transfixed by the calm placidity of these disclosures, at length began to believe them. His astounded brain was forced to believe them. Yet, as he stared at Solomon, he could only believe that the pudgy little man was a blundering fool.

"So it's all true, is it?" he exclaimed, and broke into a demoniac cackle of mirth. "You expect me to give you those two boxes, do you?"

His laughter shrilled horribly. He thrust one hand into a pocket, and produced his automatic pistol.

"Wait a minute!" exclaimed Solomon, clapping one hand to his pocket. "If you'll be so good as to look at these 'ere accounts with you, sir, in the matter o' these stones, I expect as 'ow you'll find them all shipshape."

He drew out a little red notebook, as though quite unconscious of the pistol that was trained on him. He thumbed over the pages of the notebook, nodded with a satisfied air, and stepped forward. He ignored the pistol that jerked at him, and extended the notebook.

Petit Jean was held in leash by curiosity, like any wild beast. He could not figure out what this little old man, so absolutely helpless in appearance, was driving at. There was no menace in the air of Solomon. When Petit Jean took the notebook, Solomon stepped back again and went on smoking. His face was quite expressionless.

Aline Lavergne looked from one to the other, spellbound by the scene.

Holding the notebook in one hand, Petit Jean looked at what was written in it. As he read, his face changed horribly; his eyes dilated, his lips curled back from his teeth, an atrocious contortion seized on the muscles of his face. With an oath, he dashed the notebook to the floor and glared at Solomon.

"So it was you—" he mouthed, and stopped, panting.

"Yes, sir, it was me as cut that 'ere tiller rope this mornin'," said Solomon calmly. He paused, listening. In the silence, all three persons were suddenly aware of a tramping of feet on the deck above.

"Them 'ere are me men, I expect, and Mr. Fortier with 'em," went on Solomon. "It was me as put this 'ere yacht ashore—I had 'em waitin' for a signal from me, you see. And it was me as killed that 'ere brother o' yours, Gros Michel. A werry bad man 'e was, too and—"

From Petit Jean burst a horrible cry. He jerked up the pistol and fired point-blank. Aline Lavergne uttered a scream.

Solomon calmly knocked the dottle from his pipe.

"There ain't no bullets in them 'ere cartridges, sir," he said. "If I was you I—"

Petit Jean burst into the inhuman, diabolic cry of a tortured wild beast. He dropped the pistol, whipped out that long knife of his, and flung himself forward.

At this instant, the figure of Fortier, followed by the two Arabs, appeared in the doorway. Solomon was jerked aside.

The mad rush of Petit Jean was checked by the fist of Fortier. From the lips of the outlaw shrilled another howl, so instinct with utter ferocity that it chilled the blood. He plunged at the group of men, his knife darting in and out with the swiftness of light.

But, if he was swift, the hand of Fortier was swifter. Gripping that lean wrist, Fortier held it in fingers of iron. His fist crashed again into that snarling, demoniac visage. Both men lost their balance on the inclined deck and fell. Over them thrust the two Arabs, in whose hands were short lengths of line.

At this moment there was a slight shock, as another craft-bumped gunwales with the yacht. It passed unobserved by those in the saloon.

"All right!" Fortier sprang to his feet, laughing excitedly. "He's safe!"

Petit Jean still struggled, but his frantic efforts availed him nothing. One of the Arabs stooped over, took from Jean's pocket the two little boxes of wood, and handed them to Solomon. The latter nodded.

"Rope 'im good, now! 'e's a-goin' to answer in court for them 'ere murders. Mr. Fortier, I 'opes as 'ow you got them two men up above?"

Fortier nodded. "They're tied up." "They 'ad a 'and in the murders. The other three will be along after a bit, too. If we—ello! Dang it, if she ain't went an' fainted!"

The figure of Aline had slipped to the floor.

Fortier tried to catch her, too late.

He raised her head, supporting her in his arms, and was about to speak. The words died on his lips. Solomon, catching his fixed gaze, turned and looked at the door.

In the doorway stood Thompson, pistol in hand, eyes fastened on Solomon.

"You dirty little cockney!" exclaimed the second mate. "You will swear my life away, will you? Well, you won't do it again, blast you! I'll fix you so that—"

The pistol in his hand vomited flame. With a cry, the two Arabs flung themselves on the man, knives flashed; the figures went reeling away from sight, toward the companionway. Thompson's voice sounded in a choked cry, then was silenced abruptly.

"Dang it!" said Solomon. "If I 'adn't clean forgot that 'ere man! This is what comes o' bein' careless, as the old gent said when 'e married 'is third and—"

His voice failed. His knees crumpled suddenly, and he pitched forward across the bound figure of Petit Jean.

CHAPTER XIX

At a dirty table in a filthy restaurant of the old quarter of New Orleans—a restaurant huddled in one portion of an old house that had been built by the great Marigny—sat a man in whose hand was a newspaper.

This man was reading the newspaper with attention. It was not a fresh newspaper; it was an old and crumpled copy which he had found in his chair. He was reading, in that paper, an account of the trial and sentence of Petit Jean Hennepin and his accomplices. The date of execution had been set for noon on the tenth of the month.

Suddenly the man lifted his head.

"Why!" he exclaimed, with a startled air. "Why—sure it is! This is the tenth—today! What 'd you know about that, now! Today!"

A slight noise attracted his attention, and he looked up at the wall above his head. Upon the wall hung a clock, dirty and fly-specked, with broken front glass, but still proclaiming the time. From the clock proceeded a faint, whirling noise—then the clock struck.

The man stared at it, fascinated, a species of terror in his gaze. At the twelfth stroke, he shuddered slightly, then drew a deep breath as though something had missed him narrowly. This man was Thompson.

Noon of the same day was witnessing a very different scene at Cypressmont plantation. In a comfortable chair on the front gallery, sat John Solomon, puffing at his clay pipe. An old red tarboosh was cocked on one side of his head, and a silk dressing-gown enveloped his pudgy figure.

One of his two Arabs, now clad in snow-white garments, appeared and saluted.

"Master, the hakim effendi!"

The doctor from Latouche came forward cheerily, followed by the smiling



In the Doorway Stood Thompson.

Aline Lavergne. Solomon laid down his pipe and allowed the physician to inspect a cicatrix in his left side. The doctor straightened up, and turned to Aline with a laugh.

"In another week, Miss Aline, your patient won't have even a dimple to show for it! You'll not need me again, I'm glad to say."

"Oh, good!" exclaimed the girl quickly. At the sound of a step, she turned to meet Fortier. Her face was beaming. "Doctor Dubois isn't even coming again, Mr. Fortier—it's absolutely all right, just as we thought! You will stay for luncheon, of course, doctor. What's that you have, Mr. Fortier?"

Smiling, Fortier held up a half-blown pink magnolia blossom.

"The big tree down yonder," and he nodded toward the garden, "is just coming into full bloom—it's away ahead of the others? Here is the first blossom for you."

"Oh, I must see it!" Seizing the waxen bloom, the girl carried it to Solomon and, with an affectionate pat, laid it in his hand. "For you—I'm going to run and look at the tree quickly—we'll get some more of them for the table!"

She departed, Fortier at her elbow. Smiling to himself, Doctor Dubois sat down and lighted a cigarette.

"I don't suppose as 'ow you brought any mail in your launch?" inquired Solomon. "I was lookin' for a parcel that—"

"Brought a whole bag of it," re-

turned the physician. "Ah—your man has it!"

One of the Arabs appeared, bringing a box. Solomon commanded him to open it. From the box was produced a large, flat case of morocco.

This Solomon took. He pressed the spring, opened the case, and glanced at what lay within. Then he nodded, and chuckled wheezily.

"A werry good job they made of it, too," he said. "It's a bit of a trick, mountin' up some o' the werry finest stones in the world and a makin' a necklace of 'em! It ain't every one as knows 'ow to do it right, as the old gent said when 'e kissed the 'ousemaid. Mebbe you'd like to 'ave a look at 'em, sir?"

He handed the case to the physician. The latter opened it, and at sight of what lay within, a gasp escaped him.

"My heavens, Solomon! I never dreamed such things existed—"

Solomon took up his pipe and chuckled wheezily. "That 'ere, sir, is a-goin' to make a werry nice weddin' present, so to speak! That is, if I ain't mistook. And I ain't often mistook, as the old gent said when 'e 'ired the pretty clock."

Somewhere within the house, a deep-toned clock was striking noon.

High noon in still another place—this time, amid a waste of great hills of green water where a tiny schooner, like a toy ship, was driven up and across the surging crests with endless insistence.

Upon her forward deck three black men, naked Bahamans, sat in the lee of the booming, tight-bellied foresail and rolled dice—talking, laughing, shouting with the glee of children.

Aft, beside the helm, stood a gaunt, powerful man in whose face were the marks of suffering; lines of weakness about the mouth were offset by the blazing strength of the hollow eyes, by the determination and latent power of the whole face.

Down in the cabin, Capt. Tom Wrexham adjusted his cravat carefully, then looked up at a picture which had been framed and set near his bunk. It was the picture of a girl whose eyes looked out at him with a deep, clear serenity. As he met those eyes, the face of Wrexham softened.

"So you like the schooner, lass?" he soliloquized. "Aye, she's a sweet craft! Well, I'll have to be leaving you a bit, miss, to change watches and see what that cook's got dished up!"

He stamped up on deck. At sight of him, the black men up forward ceased their shouting abruptly, ceased their dicing and laughing, and scrambled to their feet. Captain Wrexham went aft, glanced at the binnacle, and nodded to his mate.

"Well, Mr. Philbrick! You're lookin' fine and hearty today. Making a new man of you, I am. It's a rum go, this. Sorry you came to sea, are you?" "Yes," he answered. "Yes—and no."

"Ran away to sea at last!" Wrexham chuckled. "Hallo—what you lookin' at?"

Philbrick had turned to look at the empty horizon behind him. He started quickly, and shook his head.

"Nothing."

"Nothing, eh?" Wrexham chuckled again. "Thinkin' about that girl back there, are you—that Cypressmont place? Want to go back? homesick?"

"Yes," said Philbrick, with a helpless gesture.

"Oh!" Wrexham fingered his curly, square-cut beard for a moment. "Well, if you want to get back there, the course is nor'west by three-quarters north, Mr. Philbrick."

The gaunt, gray man started suddenly. Eagerness filled out his voice. "What!" he exclaimed. "What! D'you mean we're going to head back? Back home?"

Wrexham gave him a hard, cynical look.

"No, I don't. I was just tellin' you for your own information. What's the course?"

"Southeast by a half south, sir," and Philbrick's voice was dead.

"Very good—keep it so," said Wrexham coldly.

A long moment passed. The ropes twanged and sang, the long churn of foam under the lee rail trailed whitely out behind. Suddenly Philbrick spoke again.

"Eight bells, sir. Noon."

"Make it so."

Wrexham took the wheel. Philbrick went forward to the polished brass bell, and struck it. With the last two strokes, he released the cord and went to the companionway. There, for a moment, he stood looking out across the horizon to the northwest.

Then he lowered his head and went below.

"I'll make a man of him yet!" said Wrexham, and chuckled.

[THE END.]

Tortoise Rims Old in China.

Written records do not uphold China's claim to priority in the manufacture of lenses, although there is record of tortoise frames being worn there a very long time ago. The wearing of these frames was restricted by custom, if not by law, to scholars and rulers, as the large shell circle around the eye was supposed to make the wearer resemble an owl, and, therefore, to acquire the quality of wisdom which this greatly overrated bird is supposed to enjoy, says the Detroit News. The wearing of shell rims was believed to insure good fortune and long life for every wearer. Since this luck was believed to be due to the shell, the wearing of rims without lenses was thought to serve equally well, and because it was believed that the larger the frame the greater the luck, the wearing of frames of a very large size was quite common.

SEE BREACH OVER RUSS RELATIONS

Three Congressmen Approve of Soviet as Illinois Solon Says No.

BRITTEN TALKS TO COOLIDGE

Tells President He Went to Russia Believing U. S. Should Recognize Reds, His Trip Through Country Changed His Mind.

Washington.—The breach in congress over the question of establishing trade relations with Russia as regarded here is widened by the announcement in New York by three members of congress of their conviction that such a treaty should be established, and the statement made here almost simultaneously by Representative Fred A. Britten (Rep., Ill.), that he was unalterably opposed to any negotiations with the present Russian government. The members who gave their views in New York were Senator Ladd (Rep., N. D.), Senator King (Dem., Utah), and Representative Frear (Rep., Wis.), who returned Monday from Europe.

The Russian tour of the three was facilitated by the Soviet government, they said, and they covered about 3,000 miles.

Representative Britten, who returned from Europe recently, told President Coolidge that although he had gone to Russia with the conviction that the United States should recognize the Soviet government, his views had been changed by his visit and that he now opposes any official dealings between the two countries.

"I traveled unofficially in Russia," Representative Britten said, "selected my own guides, sought no favors, and really tried to see the good side of that tremendous political theory which is now holding a hundred and fifty million people in subjection."

"I have completely changed my opinion and am quite convinced that any recognition of Bolshevik Russia is only lending strength to a cause which sooner or later must fail."

"The Red press is the only press permitted in the country and no foreign newspaper or magazine is permitted to enter the country. There's no such thing as free speech."

Drys Gird for National Drive Against Liquor

Washington.—A nation-wide campaign for law enforcement, particularly of the Volstead act, was prepared here by the conference on citizenship meeting here for the last day of its three-day session. An effort will be made to enlist the co-operation of churches, educational societies, women's and men's organizations of all kinds and fraternal societies in a war on violations of the prohibition laws that will be carried on in every city and every rural district in the land.

Saxon Troops and Workmen Clash; Five Are Killed

Berlin.—The regular troops killed two and wounded many at Meiningen on the Thuringian border of Bavaria when the loud shouting of praises for the "Soviet States of Germany" by the workmen resulted in a free-for-all fight involving hundreds. The crowds tried to disarm a soldier, and the police, coming to the rescue, tried vainly to restore order. Finally a detachment of reichwehr arrived and, after being met by a volley of stones, fired into the crowd.

Chicago Yeggs Burn Their Way Into Steel Vault; Get \$100,000

Chicago.—Burning their way through a wall of concrete and steel three feet thick, a group of highly skilled safe robbers bored into the safe deposit vault of the Werner Bros. Fireproof Storage Company and escaped with plunder amounting, the police estimate, to \$100,000 or more.

Woman Bandit Holds Up Conductor for \$60 Haul

Kewanee, Ill.—A woman bandit held up Fred Current, conductor on a Galesburg and Kewanee electric car, just as he was entering the yard. Brandishing a revolver, she took from him all his money, about \$60, and fled in an automobile which drove up.

Governor McCray of Indiana Accused of Forgery in Suit

Indianapolis, Ind.—Governor McCray is charged with forgery of a note in a bill filed in the Circuit court here by the Brownstown Loan and Trust company against the Meyer-Kiser bank of Indianapolis, which sold them the note.

Change Females to Males.

Vienna.—The latest feat of surgical science here is to change female beetles into males by cutting off their heads and transplanting them. Females with male heads show male characteristics, and vice versa.

Soviet Chief in Paris.

Paris.—What is regarded as the first step toward a Franco-Russian rapprochement occurred when M. Scheinmann, director of the State Bank of the Union of Soviet Republics, arrived in Paris from Moscow.

MRS. HINCKLEY NERVOUS WRECK

Tells Women How She Was Restored to Perfect Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Memphis, Tenn.—"Two years ago I was completely run-down and my nerves were a wreck. I could not sweep a room without resting. I could not do my work except a little at a time, and the doctor's medicine did not help me. One day some one threw your little book on to my porch, and in it I read several testimonials of women who had been like myself."

I went right out and got me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and before I had taken the whole of that bottle I knew it was helping me. I took six bottles, and then in about three months I took two more. Now I am in perfect health. I do all of my own work and could do more. I can truly say that I know Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound gave me my health."—Mrs. O. J. HINCKLEY, 316 Union Ave., Memphis, Tenn.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women" will be sent you free upon request. Write to The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. This book contains valuable information.

Gas From Wood Waste.

Utilizing wood waste for generating gas is claimed by a Swedish sawmill operator to save 75 per cent of the fuel used when the chips and sawdust are burned directly under the boiler. Added to this economy is a large production of valuable by-products, including acids, wood alcohol and tar.

WOMEN! DYE FADED THINGS NEW AGAIN

Dye or Tint Any Worn, Shabby Garment or Drapery.



Each 15-cent package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple that any woman can dye or tint any old, worn, faded thing new, even if she has never dyed before. Choose any color at drug store.—Advertisement.

Veracity High.

"Please, sir, can I have the afternoon off?" "Your grandmother's funeral, I suppose?" "No! the visiting team's."—London Tit-Bits.

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Fits any Standard Truck Body

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One of the chief reasons for this unprofitable situation is the average farmer's poor facilities for moving his crops or stock to the place where he can sell or ship to the best advantage. Because of the time and expense of horse delivery millions of dollars worth of produce spoils annually on American farms. The saving of this waste would, in many cases, change a losing farm to a money-maker.

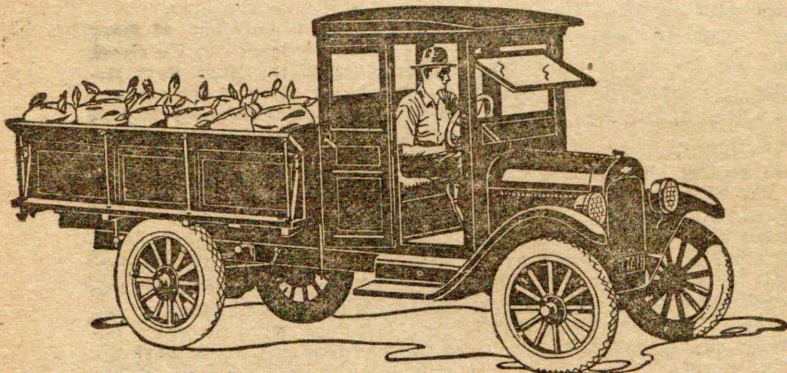
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TANGLED UP BY PHONE CALL

Colonel Gives Remarkable Denouement to His Story That Was Interrupted by the Chief.

The colonel had only two types of stories, one concerning his amorous adventures, the other his adventures while tiger shooting. It was night in the mess and the colonel, as was his wont, began to tell an exciting story of an encounter with a wounded tigress which sprang at him before he could reload and bore him to the ground. At the critical moment an orderly entered to report that the G. O. C. wished to speak to the colonel on the telephone, and the colonel was compelled to break off abruptly.

He was absent for ten minutes and on his return had forgotten which of his favorite stories he had been telling.

"What happened, colonel?" asked one of the guests. "You were telling us of your dangerous situation."

"Oh, I kissed her," responded the colonel airily. "She simply couldn't resist me and we dined together that evening."—London Sporting and Dramatic News.

Preach not because you have to say something, but because you have something to say.

Only the man who is blindly in love fails to see through a coat of complexion paint.

Why the Doctor asks: "Do you drink coffee?"



If you are troubled with headaches, insomnia, indigestion, or sluggishness of the liver or bowels, probably one of the first questions your doctor asks is, "Do you drink coffee?"

He knows, better than anyone else, that the drug, caffeine, present in coffee, tends to irritate the nervous system and is a frequent

cause of disturbance to health.

If coffee causes trouble, and you value health, stop coffee and drink Postum.

Postum is a pure cereal beverage—absolutely free from caffeine or any other drug. It has a delicious flavor, that many people prefer to coffee.

Your grocer sells Postum in two forms: Instant Postum (in tins) prepared instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages) for those who prefer the flavor brought out by boiling fully 20 minutes. The cost of either form is about one-half cent a cup.



Postum
—FOR HEALTH—
"There's a Reason"

Changing the Calendar

By REV. JOHN C. PAGE

Teacher of Bible Doctrine, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

TEXT—This month shall be unto you the beginning of months. It shall be the first month of the year to you.—Exod. 12:1.

It is no easy matter to change the customs and habits of a nation or of an individual. Humanly speaking, such changes are not only difficult, but practically impossible. So many readjustments are involved, and so great is the danger of confusion and chaos, that they are never seriously contemplated. But Jehovah is the God of the impossible. In creation "He spake and it was done."

In redemption "He brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep." He changed the calendar of Israel, bringing the old order to an end and introducing a new.

With redemption by blood, everything begins anew. "If any man be in Christ he is a new creature; old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new."—II Cor. 5:7. When a sinner puts his faith where God put his sins, then our text finds a spiritual and personal application, and to that one it may be said: "This

shadows the new creation. The old is passed away, and behold, all things are become new."

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To Use Odd Parts for Loud Speaker

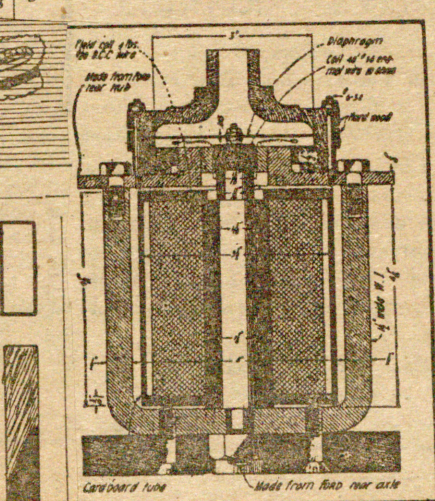
Sections From Automobile May Be Utilized in Construction.

This loud-talker, with a single pole and a field coil taking one-half ampere at six volts, is very easily built from odd parts and with very few tools.

The core of the field magnet is made from a section of an automobile rear axle and is wound with four pounds of No. 20 D. C. C. wire. Fiber ends three-sixteenths of an inch thick are provided for the core, as shown. A "U"-shaped bar of wrought iron, with the dimensions as shown, is used as the supporting medium.

The lower end of the core is fastened thereto, and a ring, made from an automobile rear hub, is attached to the top by means of two machine screws. Two pieces are turned up from hard wood, as shown, to be used for holding the diaphragm. The latter is composed of sheet aluminum .015 of an inch thick, and to the center is fastened a brass tube 23.32 of an inch inside diameter by half an inch long by means of a small brass machine screw.

The walls of this tube are .010 of an inch thick. This tube is wound with 48 feet of No. 36 enameled wire, and leads are brought out therefrom to be connected to the secondary of the step-down transformer. Before assembling a cardboard tube is slipped over the field winding for protection. The entire unit is mounted upon a piece of hard rubber, which in turn is mounted on a wooden base. A single pole, single throw switch is also mounted on



hard rubber. This switch is connected in series with the field winding. Another panel of hard rubber or insulating composition is mounted on the front of one leg of the permanent magnet and four binding posts are attached thereto to provide connections.

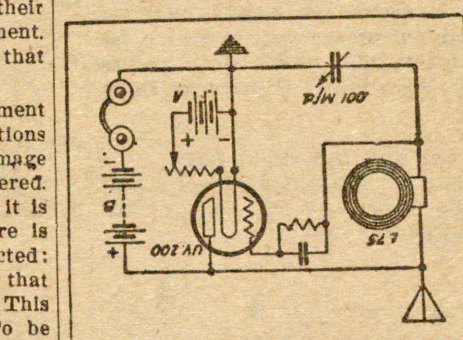
An automobile coil was used for the step-down transformer, the secondary connected to the receiving set and the primary to the moving coil.

Applying six volts to the field, only .46 of an ampere will be drawn, which allows the use of the same storage battery that supplies the filament current. The apparatus has been built and works very well, and it will repay any amateur to construct it.

Use Circuit Receiver With Dry Cell Tube

A large number of regenerative receivers suggested from time to time are single circuit arrangements of a more or less freak nature. They all depend upon the same principle of transferring energy from the plate circuit of a three-electrode vacuum tube to the grid circuit. This transference of energy may be accomplished in a large variety of ways, and between the various methods there is very little to choose. It is because of this fact that the circuit using regeneration is to be preferred.

Effective action may always be predicted beforehand and the tuning may be adjusted for best results. In other



circuits the adjustment is most difficult. The single circuit arrangement about to be described does not contain any mysterious tuning, but is a very efficient DX receiver.

The primary tuning inductance consists of a 75 honeycomb coil connected as shown in the circuit. Should this coil not respond to the wave lengths desired, insert the next size coil, the 100. The .001 variable condenser tunes in the wave and helps to build up the signal strength. The tube shown is the UV-200, but since this needs a six-volt battery the UV-199 can replace it in order to cut down the consumption of the battery. The dry battery will respond very nicely if employed in this circuit.

Radiolines.
Twinkle, twinkle, radio star.
How we wonder what you are
Like—if you are young and fair—
When we hear you through the air.

Twinkle on, bright radio star.
Soon we'll know you, what you are!
Sight, or fright, or debonaire—
Soon we'll see you through the air.
—C. A. S.

Superior to Every Fate.

A life well lived and rightly adjusted to both the transient and the eternal rises superior to every possible fate. We need optimism for health, for courage, for happiness, we get it by harmony with God and with his laws. Achieving this, nothing can finally go wrong.

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It Pleased the Girl.
Love—Every time I kiss her I'm a better man.
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Easy Way to Make Home Improvements.
Almost every man likes to do little jobs of building, particularly when by doing them he can make permanent, labor-saving improvements around his home.

If you have been wishing for a sidewalk that will keep the house clean and the feet dry—non-slip steps and porch floors, ornamental gateposts—any one of dozens of improvements, you will be interested to know that you can now obtain complete directions free of cost.

The best concrete construction experience has been drawn upon to provide these directions. You will find everything you need to know about small jobs—how much cement to use, how to mix the concrete, what tools to use, and all the rest.

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So Have We All.
"I see that a nine-year-old girl is a successful writer of popular songs."
"I think I have heard a good many written by her."

Cuticura Soothes Itching Scalp.
On retiring gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Make them your everyday toilet preparations and have a clear skin and soft, white hands.—Advertisement.

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"Do you believe in an eight-hour day?"
"No," declared Cactus Joe. "Eight hours' work don't leave a man only sixteen hours to play poker."

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The American cow retains her popularity in the Orient despite the neglectful attitude of the Occident. Exports of milk to the Orient in the 7 months ending with August show a marked increase while those to other parts of the world show a decline of nearly one-third, measured in quantities. In the single month of July the milk exports to the Orient increased 69% compared with July of last year, while those to Europe showed a fall off of 35%.

While it was expected—based in fact—says the Trade Record of New York, that Europe would regain her ability to supply her own people with this important foodstuff,

it is interesting to note that the growth in our exports of milk to the Orient continues, for it is in that part of the world that the demand for condensed and evaporated milk is a permanent one. Density of population and the necessary use of the soil for the production of grain foods leave the Orient, except India where the cow is considered a sacred animal, dependent upon the Occident for its milk supply. China with 400,000,000 people has but 22,000,000 cattle of all classes and a very small proportion utilized for dairy purposes; Japan with a population of over 50,000,000 has but 3½ million cattle of all classes; French Indo-China with 20,000,000 population has less than a quarter of a million cattle. India, where animal life is considered sacred by a large element of the population, has more cattle than any other country of the world despite density of population, the number of cattle in India, being, according to latest reports, 120,000,000 or nearly double

the number in the United States and five times as many as in Argentina, yet our exports of condensed and evaporated milk to India alone in the last five years aggregated over 60,000,000 pounds. The wonderful development in recent years in the exportation of milk from the United States in form available for instant and satisfactory use in any part of the world is illustrated by the fact that the total value of exports of milk, condensed or sweetened, evaporated, unsweetened, or reduced to "milk powder" totaled but about \$17,000,000 in the decade preceding the war and has exceeded \$400,000,000 in the decade since the beginning of the war. The whole world made the acquaintance of American condensed milk during the war period and liked it, and today our exports in the various forms above noted go to 85 different countries, colonies and islands of the world, and continue especially popular in that section of the world which must always import its milk from the Orient.

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Early Loaf Sugar.

The art of making loaf sugar was introduced by a Venetian in the fifteenth century, who received a large reward for his discovery. The loaf sugar of other days was not in the convenient form of cubes as we have it now, but was large like a round loaf of bread and was some trouble to eat.

Grasshoppers' Favorite Diet.

When various spring grains are available the grasshoppers prefer oats to any of the others, reports a United States Department of Agriculture investigator in Montana. However, when food is scarce the hoppers will not go far out of the way to search for the plants that please their palates most.—Agricultural Department Bulletin.

Get Ants Out of Ice Chest.

If ants get into ice chest, set a pan of water under each leg and move away from the wall.

THE LATEST NEWS IN PALOS PARK

Margaret Macaulay is attending Metropolitan Business College.

A touring car from California was burned on 96th Avenue and Powell road, Saturday. The exact cause of the blaze is not known.

The West End Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Swanson on Wednesday in honor of her birthday.

A trustee meeting was held at the Club House Tuesday evening. Books were audited. F. C. Mahaffay and Frederick Monroe were appointed on the entertainment committee and Blenda Thorsen, chairman of the membership committee.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hermanson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Odell on the North Side, Sunday.

Mrs. George Hermanson was confined in Chicago a few days on account of an injury to her foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra McClaughry and family and Miss Katherine McClaughry were entertained at the home of Mrs. Flurrie McCord of Blue Island for dinner Sunday.

Gust Oelke and Mamie Wagner were married Tuesday morning, Oct. 1 at the Lemont church.

Mr. Evans was the guest of the Mahaffay family Sunday.

The Misses Hazel and Clara Cure had as guests Sunday, The Misses Evelyn, Ethelyn and Alice Mahaffay.

blazing strength of the hollow eyes, the determination and latent power of the whole face.

Down in the cabin, Capt. Tom Wrexham adjusted his cravat carefully, then looked up at a picture which had been framed and set near his bunk. It was the picture of a girl whose eyes looked out at him with a deep, clear serenity. As he met those eyes, the face of Wrexham softened.

"So you like the schooner, lass?" he soliloquized. "Aye, she's a sweet craft! Well, I'll have to be leaving you a bit, miss—time to change watches and see what that cook's got disshed up!"

He stamped up on deck. At sight of him, the black men up forward ceased their shouting abruptly, ceased their dicing and laughing, and scrambled to their feet. Captain Wrexham went aft, glanced at the binnacle, and nodded to his mate.

"Well, Mr. Philbrick! You're looking fine and hearty today. Making a new man of you, I am. It's a rum go this. Sorry you came to sea, are you?" "Yes," he answered. "Yes—and no."

"Ran away to sea at last!" Wrexham chuckled. "Hallo—what you looking at?"

Philbrick had turned to look at the man behind him. He started.

PROBATE NOTICE.

Estate of Elisabetha (Elizabeth) Scheer, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Elisabetha (Elizabeth) Scheer late of Frankfort in the County of Will and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the Probate Court of Will County, at the Court House in Joliet, at the December Term, on the first Monday in December, next (being the Third day of said month), at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 26th day of September A. D. 1923.

HERMAN SCHEER
Executor as aforesaid.

Albert H. Krusemark,
Attorney

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Dated this Fourth day of October, A. D. 1923.

LOUIS SCHOOP,
Executor as aforesaid.

Albert H. Krusemark
Attorney

Kaiser's Summer Palace Now Home For War Orphans



At Corfu, Greece, a thousand orphaned Armenian boys are living in the former summer palace of ex-Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany, says Charles V. Vickrey of Near East Relief. The picture shows the palace, Mr. Vickrey and a group of the refugees.

POETIC justice of a sort seldom met with outside story books has suddenly made its appearance on the Island of Corfu, according to Charles V. Vickrey of the Near East Relief, who has just returned from an inspection of the refugee centres in Greece. At Corfu Mr. Vickrey saw a thousand orphan boys, Armenians to whom Greece has given shelter, living frugally in a palace bearing every mark of regal splendor. It was the former summer palace of the German Kaiser, one of the finest and most beautifully equipped residences in the whole world!

"Observe the way in which Fate has operated," said Mr. Vickrey. "Nine years ago the Kaiser figured as War Lord of the world. The war left these thousand boys orphans because their parents and all known relatives were massacred or died of famine as a result of persecution by his allies the Turks. Today the Kaiser has lost his Empire and his throne; he lives in obscurity in Holland while the children whose parents he helped to send to their deaths are safe and happy in his palace at Corfu!"

The former Emperor was recently reported to be contemplating a move to his Corfu palace where he thought his wife, the Princess Hermine, would be more comfortable than in Holland. For the Kaiser, it is said, is expecting a new addition to his family shortly. However, there is no room for any

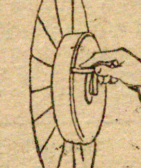
more children at Corfu, even children of a former Emperor.

The palace is only one of many buildings freely loaned by the Greek government to the Near East Relief to shelter some of the orphans evacuated from the danger regions of Asia Minor by the relief organization. Since the Smyrna disaster nearly twenty thousand children have been moved from Turkish territory to Greece!

"There are another 1400 Armenian boys at Corfu," said Mr. Vickrey. "housed in an old, abandoned war house. Most of them sleep on the floor, but some, more fortunate, occupy bins like shelving against the wall, piled in tiers six deep. Sleeping on the floors of the Zappelon Exposition Hall in Athens are a thousand other boys recently brought from Asia. In the Royal Palace itself, facing Constitution square in the heart of Athens, four hundred girls are housed, safe from Turkish oppression at last."

"In summer hotels along the sea coast between nine and ten thousand Armenian orphans have been given shelter but some other place will have to be found for them before the Greek summer season opens and the hotels must be surrendered. One of the biggest problems facing Near East Relief now is, where shall these orphans go? Until they are old enough to care for themselves and able to earn a living Near East Relief will not abandon them and will not again place them within reach of Turkish authority."

7 SIMPLE RULES THAT MIGHT SAVE 11,000 LIVES

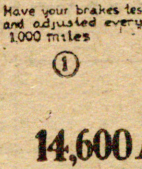
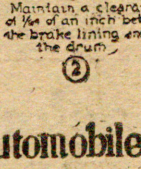
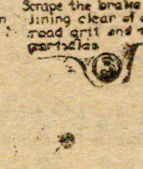


14,600 Automobile Fatalities in 1922

75% due to Faulty Brakes

(Preventable)

Other Causes

MOTORISTS of the United States, in operating the 14,622,161 cars in this country, can save fully 11,000 lives this year by obeying a few common-sense rules, according to a survey on the cause of automobile accidents just completed by automotive engineers.

Three-fourths of the 14,600 automobile fatalities in 1922 were blamed on faulty brakes. Every one of these accidents, it is said, was an unnecessary fatality.

The accidents due to faulty brakes, or faulty operation of brakes, according to J. W. Perry, general manager of the automotive department of the Johns-Manville company, can be

avoided by following seven simple rules. Here they are:

1. Have your brakes tested and adjusted every 1,000 miles.
2. Maintain a clearance of one sixty-fourth of an inch between the brake lining and the drum.
3. Scrape the brake lining clear of oil, road grit, and metal particles.
4. Keep the right and left brakes operating at equal pressure.
5. Test your brakes before starting your car, to make sure that both hand lever and foot lever have adequate clearance.
6. Never jam the brakes and thus make the tires slide.
7. Use the motor as a brake, in descending hills.

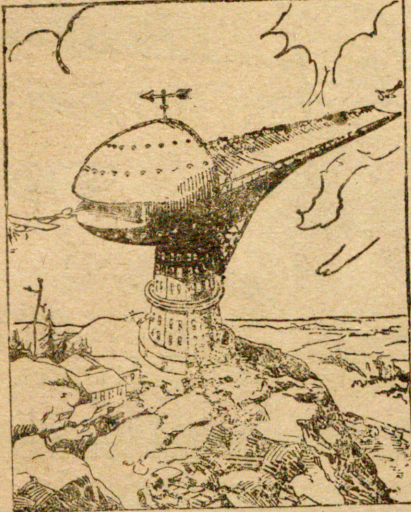
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What the World Is Doing

AS SEEN BY POPULAR MECHANICS MAGAZINE

Turntable Airplane Landing Has 500-Foot Runway

Keeping pace with the rapid progress made recently in the development of airways, a landing stage has been designed that automatically heads into the wind



and possesses other unique and practical features. This airplane landing can be set to remain stable in all light breezes, and then switch itself into automatic control at any predetermined wind speed. This feature is highly important, for the aviator must head into the wind to make a safe landing.

Another advantage lies in the fact that the plane is able to "hop off" into the wind from a standing start, at any required speed, according to wind conditions. The plane is restrained in stays to the starting room, its engines speeded up to the desired point, and then automatically released. The receiving controls for the landing of planes actuate a moving platform, so that an airplane will land, not with a shock, but with a gliding motion. Landing platforms are about 500 feet in over-all length, and from 60 to 80 feet wide.

Smell to Lure Boll Weevil To Its Death

Government chemists are now at work on a new method of attack on the cotton-boll weevil. An attempt is to be made to

find out whether any odor from the cotton plant attracts the weevil, and just what it is. It is then hoped to duplicate the odor in the laboratory, and lure the insect to its doom with poisoned bait, if necessary.

Electric Pen Writes in Gold or Silver

Gold, silver, or other colored designs or writing can be made on wood, leather, paper, ivory, parchment, silk, or metal, by a new electrically operated pen. The pen is attached to any lamp socket by means of a flexible cord, and is operated by running the electrically heated point over a sheet of colored transfer paper. The pen is insulated so that no current comes in contact with the user or the material with which he is working. The heat of the hot point can be regulated so that a maximum of 9000 F. can be reached. The pen is no larger than an ordinary fountain pen.

Skirt Used as Crass Bag

An old wide dress skirt, with the belt cut off, and the bottom stitched across makes an excellent bag for carrying heavy makings. Several baskets of mown grass

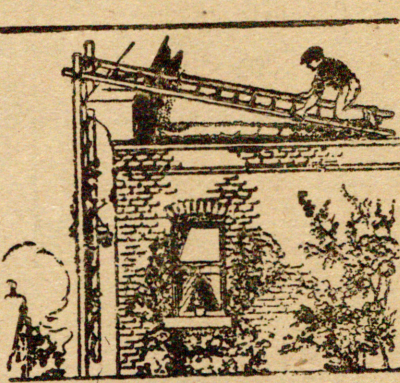


can be carried in it conveniently, as it is short and wide, and does not weigh as much as a basket.

Great interest is being displayed by physicians in a new drug, known as trypanin, which is claimed to have proved a cure for paresis.

Working on Side of Building

The method of working on the wall of a building as shown in the illustration is used by circus-bill posters to put up their signs in places that are otherwise nearly inaccessible. Two ladders are used; one is laid on the roof, and projects a few feet beyond the edge; the other is lashed to the projecting end, and hangs vertically. One



man remains on the extreme inner end of the horizontal ladder, while another climbs down the vertical ladder, the weight of the first man keeping the whole arrangement in position. The horizontal ladder should not project over the edge of the roof more than one-fourth or one-fifth of the entire length of this ladder and the man holding it down must apply his weight at the extreme inner end; he must be about equal to the other man in weight. In this way he will be able to hold the man on the ladder securely.

Cleaning Rusty Crosscut Saws

An excellent method of cleaning and polishing an old rusty crosscut saw is as follows: Drill a vertical hole in the center of a small stump, and also saw a cut across it, passing through the hole; the depth of this cut should equal the width of the saw, minus the teeth. Invert the saw in the cut, allowing the teeth to project above the surface of the stump. Fill the hole around the saw with fine sand and moisten with a little water. By working the saw as if sawing, it will quickly be scoured as clean and bright as when new.

AMERICAN TIN PLATE FOR THE WORLD

Eighty countries and colonies are now buying this comparatively new product of the American factory. Our exports of tin plate in last decade \$250,000,000 against \$20,000,000 in preceding decade.

Announcement that the tin plate output of the United States in the current year will be the "biggest ever" illustrates the facility with which American manufacturers and workmen develop great industries in comparatively brief periods. It was not until about 1890, says the Trade Record of The National City Bank of New York, that the manufacture of tin plate in the United States was begun. Prior to that time we were entirely dependent upon tin plate from abroad and the importations ran into the hundreds of millions of pounds annually, and in the fiscal year 1891 crossed the billion pound line making in that year its highest record of 1,036,489,074 pounds with a value of \$36,000,000.

Then the American manufacturers, recognizing that while the United States produced no tin they did make plenty of iron sheets, and that by bringing the tin from the other side of the globe they could apply it to the American iron sheets and supply to the people of the United States the enormous and constantly increasing quantity of tin plate which they were requiring in their building and other industries. In the first full year fol-

lowing the establishment of the industry, 1892, they turned out 42,000,000 pounds of tin plate, by 1900 it had reached 850,000,000 pounds, in 1903 the output passed a billion pounds, in 1912 it was over 2,000,000,000, in 1917 more than 3,000,000,000, and in 1923 will slightly exceed the high record established in 1917 when we were not only meeting our entire domestic requirements but supplying enormous quantities to other parts of the world.

Meantime the importations of foreign tin plate had dropped from the one billion pounds of 1891 to 95,000,000 in 1911, 10,000,000 in 1915, and 1,000,000 in 1917. Since the close of the war there has been a slight increase in the importation but still an extremely small quantity as compared with the domestic production, which as above indicated is now running at the rate of about 3 1/2 billion pounds a year.

The whole world has readily learned the value of American tin plate and the exports, which amounted to less than a quarter of a million pounds in 1890, were 26,000,000 in 1910, 106,000,000 in 1914, and with the demands of the war jumped to 560,000,000 in 1918, dropping of course with the close of the war and resumption of tin plate manufacture in Europe, but which stand for the current year at about 250,000,000 pounds with a value of approximately \$13,000,000.

All of this 3 1/2 billion pounds of tin plate which we are making in the United States in 1923 is coated with tin brought chiefly from the other side of the globe. The Malayan Peninsula, a couple of the tin mines of which are in the Dutch East Indies and one in South American neighbor, Bolivia,

are the world's chief producers of tin and it is from these three spots, two of them on the opposite side of the globe and one in the interior of South America, that we bring the \$60,000,000 worth of pig tin used in turning out this enormous quantity of tin plate.

And we pay for a part of this tin ore which we bring chiefly from the Malayan Peninsula and the Dutch East Indies with American sheets of iron or steel coated with the tin brought from those regions of the globe. Our exportation of tin plate to the Straits Settlements, the biggest source of tin, amounted in the calendar year 1921, the latest year for which details are available, to nearly 10,000,000 pounds, and to the Dutch East Indies, which also supply us a large quantity of tin, about 7,000,000 pounds. The total value of tin plate exported from the United States since the beginning of the war is approximately \$250,000,000 as against approximately \$20,000,000 in the decade preceding the war.

The exportation of this comparatively new product of the American factory is now distributed to literally every part of the globe, the total number of countries and colonies to which it is sent in 1923, the latest year for which details are available, having been over eighty. The census records show that the capital invested in the tin plate industry of the country has advanced from \$6,641,000 in 1900 to \$4,915,000 in 1909, and the sums paid for wages from the \$1,859,000 to \$5,756,000. The factory valuation of the tin plate industry in 1900 was \$31,392,000 in 1909 and \$77,464,000 in 1912.

Radio Room on Majestic, World's Largest Ship



The White Star liner Majestic, the world's largest ship, has two radio sets. Each of the two sets shoots one and one-half kilowatts of energy into space, which is equal to that consumed by about thirty fifty-watt lamps. The sets are so powerful that they can reach stations that may be distant anywhere from fifteen hundred to fifteen thousand miles.

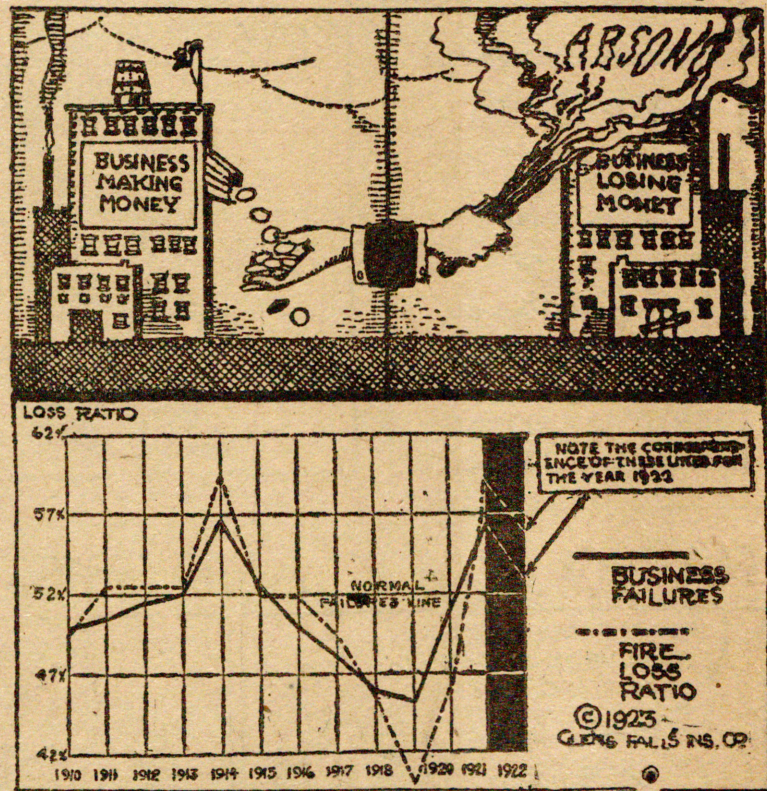
Fires As An Index To Industrial Conditions

"Break-Down of Morale" Shown by Fire Losses. Detroit, St. Louis, Dallas and Norfolk Are Notable Exceptions.

A NEW index of business conditions, especially in certain industries, has been discovered. When there is a marked increase in the number of fires in the establishments of a given industry, it will be found that business in that industry is in bad condition. This assertion is made by Frank R. Morgaridge, who directs the work of the Committee on Incendiarism and Arson of the National Board of Fire Underwriters and is probably the leading authority in the world on the subject of the crime of arson.

"You can generally tell the condition of the garment industry, for instance, that it is overstocked, that orders have fallen off and business has slacked away generally, by a marked increase in the number of fires in factories producing such goods," said Mr. Morgaridge. "Take another industry—the leather industry. When we went into the war there was an immediate demand for all sorts of leather products and while the war continued, there was not a single fire in a leather factory. When the war ended and business in that industry slumped, there was a sudden outbreak of fires in leather factories in many places. Why was this?"

Commenting upon the chart recently made public by the Glens Falls Insurance Company, proving from a study over the past eleven years that when business is good, fires decrease and when business is bad, fires increase, he said: "The figures are there to prove the conclusion. You cannot deny



the obvious fact which they prove. Moral hazard is something which cannot be measured, but it must be reckoned with, and it behooves us all to work together toward suppression of this crime.

The committee is working with local authorities in all parts of the country to assist them in investigating cases of incendiarism. In a number of cities, the Police Departments have organized special Arson Squads; Detroit, St. Louis, Dallas and Norfolk being notable examples. Influenced by the large number of incendiary fires in New

York City, its District Attorney has created a special department for the investigation and prosecution of this class of crime, appointing an Assistant District Attorney for this special purpose.

Mr. Morgaridge ascribes the existence of moral hazard in fire insurance to the general break-down of morals in the past few years, pointing out that never before were failures from dishonesty, robberies and all sorts of crime so prevalent. Insurance companies, he says, are doing everything they can to minimize insurance of suspicious risks.

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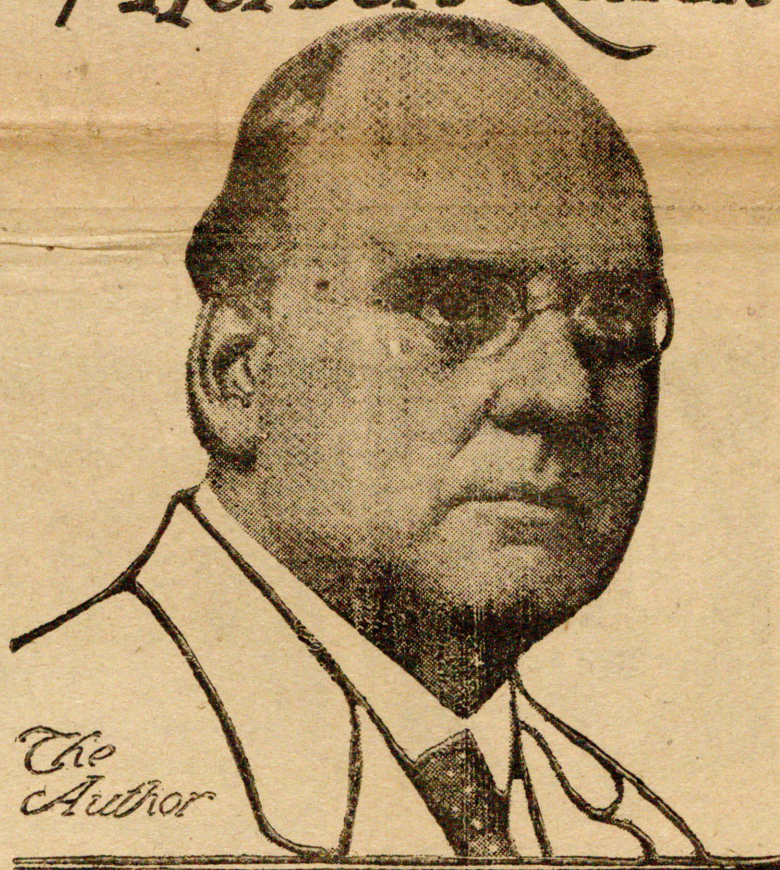
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one to sit up and take notice; for he is one of the most ver-
satile and entertaining geniuses in this country. Farmer, school-
master, lawyer, editor, public servant, social worker and novelist, he
has had a great round of experiences and has worked many of them
into his stories. Born in Grundy county, Iowa, he has been mayor of
Sioux City, nominee for supreme judge, editor of Farm and Fireside,
member of the Federal Farm Loan bureau and several other national
commissions, and during the war, had the rank of colonel conferred
upon him by the Red Cross.

In "The Brown Mouse," Mr. Quick has taken his inspiration from
the Scotch scientist who crossed Japanese waltzing mice with the
common white breed and among other hybrids got a brown individual
that was different from anything else in the world. Unlike its domes-
ticated parents, it was wild; it ran away, bit, gnawed, scratched and
raised hob generally.

Jim Irwin, the hero of the tale, is a brown mouse. His peddling
father was a waltzing mouse, no good except to jump from one spot
to another for no valid reason. His mother was a white mouse, hav-
ing had all her color washed out in one way or another. Like the
brown mouse which refuses to act according to the rules of heredity,
Jim had ideas of his own and did many surprising things. He com-
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THE NEWS-BULLETIN

Beginning Friday, October 26

Women's Party Stages Equal-Rights Pageant



This shows the tableau of the signers of the declaration of principles of 1848 which demanded equal rights for women, at the equal-rights pageant presented by the National Women's party in the Garden of the Gods, Colorado Springs.

Famous War Vessel Now Used as a Breakwater



The battered hulk of the old U. S. S. Winslow, the destroyer on whose decks at Cadonas, Cuba, May 11, 1898, Ensign Worth Bagley and four other men—one-third of the entire United States naval casualties of the Spanish-American war—met their death, is here seen as part of a breakwater beneath Sagamore Hill at Oyster Bay, Long Island, which has been made out of a number of famous old war vessels.

Fighting Governor at His Desk



"Jack" C. Walton, governor of Oklahoma, photographed at his desk as he was signing a decree in his warfare against the Ku Klux Klan and the members of the legislature who, he says, are dominated by the Klan.

French Town Rebuilt by Americans



M. Poincare and Miss Belle Skinner of Massachusetts taking part in the inauguration ceremonies in the little village of Hattonchatel, France, which was destroyed by the Germans and which Americans under her leadership are reconstructing.

WORTH KNOWING

The public schools of Columbia will be remodeled along the lines of those in the United States.

St. Bartholomew's hospital in London, recently celebrated its eight hundredth anniversary.

The larvae of eels are born in the spring in the Atlantic at a depth of 1,000 feet.

There are more than twice as many motor cars and trucks in Hawaii as in all China.

Follow the dictates of your conscience and you'll never land in jail.

How foolish a man feels when he hears of a baby being named after him.

Many a man pulls down his character in an effort to build up his reputation.

Some one asks why babies cry. Perhaps it's because they don't know how to swear.

In ancient Egypt trained monkeys were used to help gather the fruit from trees.

DINOSAUR EGGS FOUND



Roy Chapman Andrews, leader of the Asiatic expedition of the American Museum of Natural History, and Mrs. Andrews, photographer of the expedition, shown above, have sent word home that they have discovered the first fossilized eggs of the dinosaur ever found. Twenty-five of them have been obtained, and it is estimated they are about ten million years old.

TORCH "SPIKES" GUNS



Our naval vessels condemned to destruction are fast being dismantled. This workman is spiking one of the big guns of the Georgia with the torch.

Or Their Watches Large?

Robert lived in the country and had never seen a sailor.

"Papa," he said one day, "sailors must be very small men."

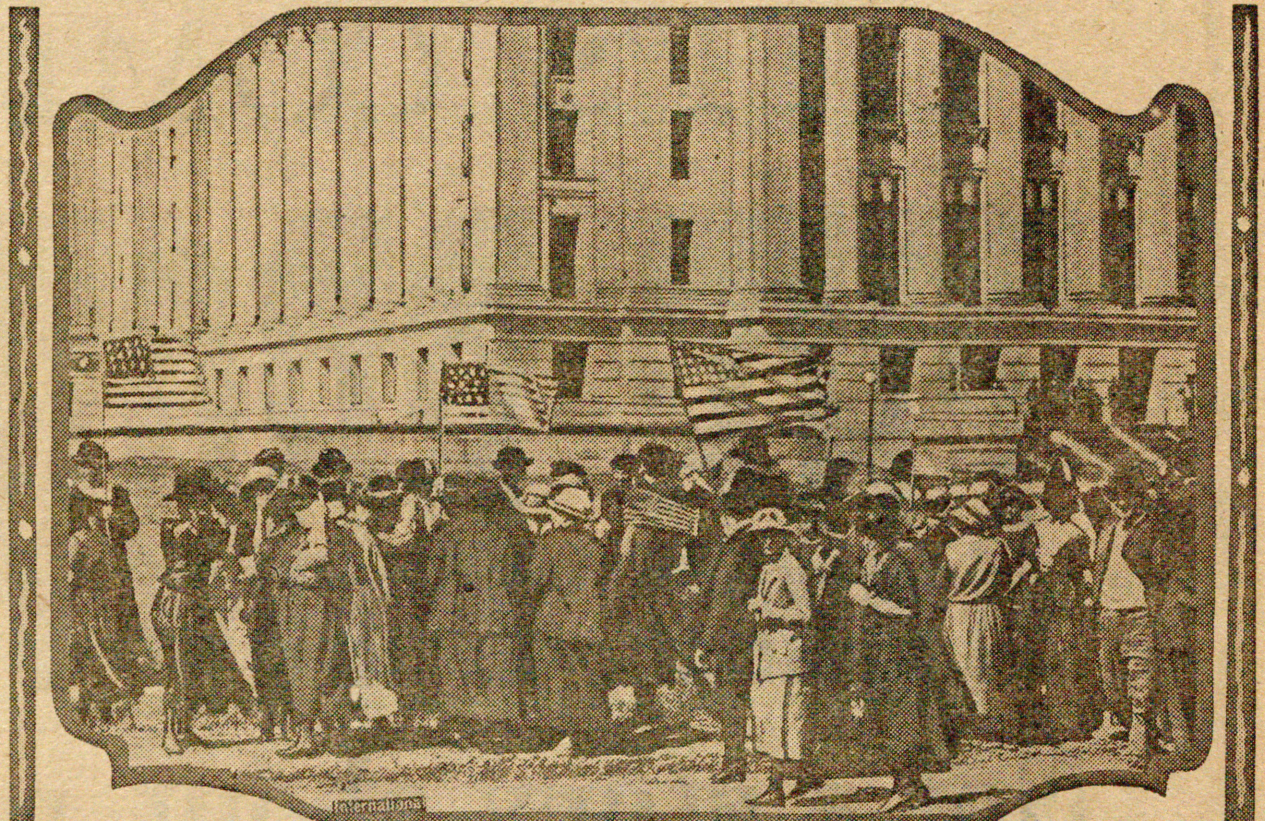
"Why do you think so?" asked his father.

"Because," answered Robert, "I read in the paper about one who went to sleep on his watch."

The Place to Begin.

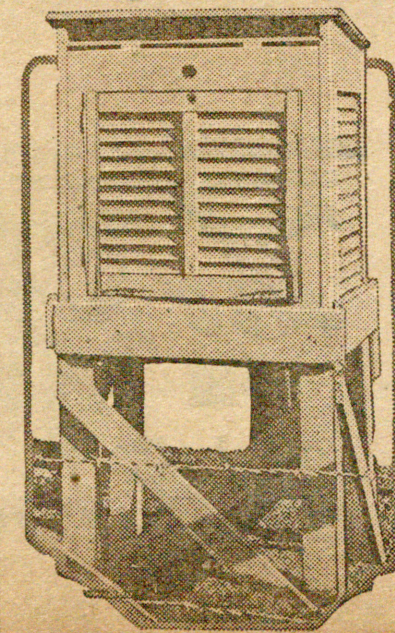
Everybody respects the reformer who reforms himself.

"Amazon Army" of Oklahoma Mixes in the Fight



The women of Oklahoma have injected themselves into the fight between the governor and the legislature of the state. They, like the men voters, are lined up on both sides. The photograph shows a delegation of women from El Reno called the Amazon army.

HOTTEST SPOT ON EARTH



The highest natural air temperature known on earth was recorded by this meteorological instrument kept by the United States government on the floor of the famous Death valley in southern California—the hottest spot on earth. The almost unbelievable temperature of 134 degrees Fahrenheit was registered by the mercury there this year. Only one white man lives there. He replaced five others who died insane.

YOUNGEST IN SYRACUSE



After having graduated from the high school in Syracuse, N. Y., as valedictorian of his class, Moses Finklestein, aged eleven, has matriculated into full standing as a freshman at Syracuse university. He is the youngest, by several years, of any student, past or present, of that university.

PLAYED WITH LINCOLN



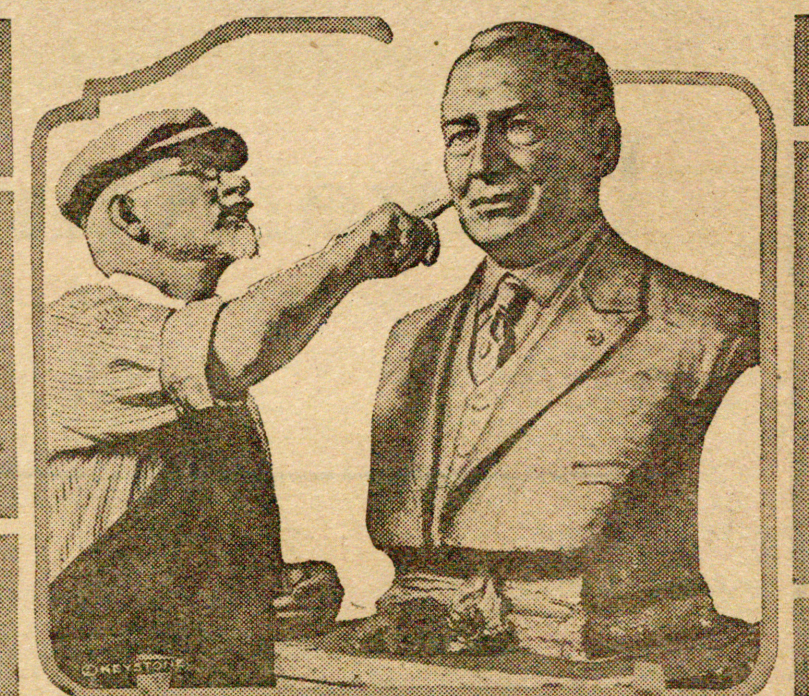
J. M. Hale, eighty-six years old, demonstrating the way that he and Abraham Lincoln "knuckled down." Mr. Hale, as a boy in Springfield, Ill., played with Robert Lincoln and on many occasions "Honest Abe," who at that time was a country attorney, would join them shooting marbles.

Preparing for Forget-Me-Not Day



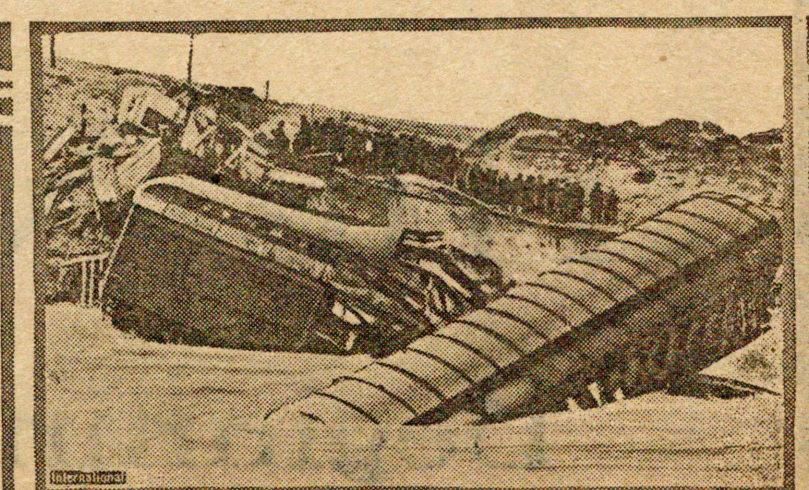
Dave Hirsch, a wounded American World war veteran, is shown assisting Miss Florence Fisher in preparing many thousands of forget-me-nots to be sold by young women in every city of the land on National "Forget-Me-Not Day," Saturday, Nov. 10, for the benefit of crippled veterans.

Harding Bust by Sculptor Dunbar



U. S. J. Dunbar, noted sculptor of Washington, D. C., is seen working on a bust of the late President Harding. Mr. Dunbar started his work shortly after the death of the president.

Where Two Score Died in Wreck



Wrecked passenger cars of the Burlington train which fell into the flood waters of a stream near Casper, Wyo., when a bridge abutment gave way. About forty lives were lost.

USEFUL FACTS ABOUT OUR SERVICE



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Perhaps all you see on that slip of paper is a lot of figures, a discount date, something about so many kilowatt hours and the address of our office.

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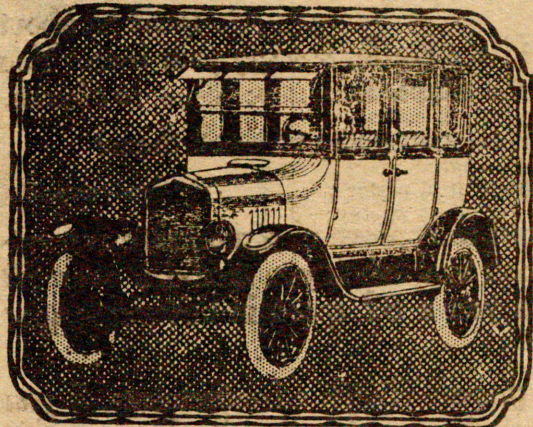
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All body fittings—window regulators, door grips, door latch levers, door lock, dome light—are finished in nickel. The upholstery carries a fine dark line on a soft brown background that does not easily show dust or dirt. Silk window curtains to harmonize for the three rear windows enhance the style of the car and add to the comfort of its passengers. See the new Sedan and other new Ford body styles at our showroom.

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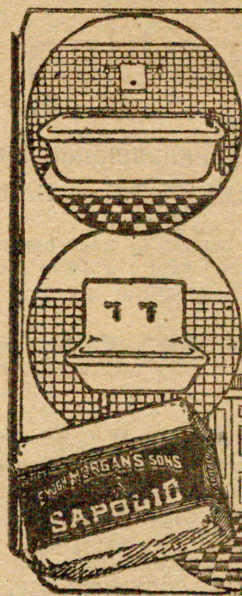
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"Ma Illinois," an Exhibit in the "Tax Works" on the "Service-Progress Special," of the New York Central Lines

Everybody remembers "Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works," as described in "The Old Curiosity Shop." On the "Service-Progress Special," operated by the New York Central Lines in response to requests to Pres. A. H. Smith, from the American Farm Bureau Federation and the National Grange, is a car that is devoted to setting forth present tax problems.

This exhibit is known as "Mrs. Jarley's Tax Works" and consists of enormous wooden figures on the order of gigantic cartoons. For instance, there is "The Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe." This familiar old lady "has so many taxes she doesn't know what to do." The "Tax Works" has told a complete story

of tax increases in Ohio, Michigan, Pennsylvania, New York, and is now telling the tax story of Illinois.

There are also huge models of State tax dollars with divisions showing the source from which taxes are received and where the money goes.

The exhibit gives a most illuminating view of the constant increase in Federal, State, County and local taxes. In Ohio, New York, Pennsylvania and Michigan over 10 million people have been reached with the special story of the evolution of transportation and its authentic facts regarding transportation in its relation to agriculture. In Illinois 43 stops are being made, ending at East St. Louis, Oct. 27.

What the World Is Doing

AS SEEN BY POPULAR MECHANICS MAGAZINE

Hollow Log Is Wireless Set of Wild Jungle Tribes



Long before the first modern radio set came into being the wild South American tribes that live in dense forests and grass-covered plains near the equator, had "wireless" outfits made from the trunks of hollow trees. For years the jungle and tundra have echoed the booming of these huge drums. By means of code systems, each tribal chieftain keeps in touch with his people, calling his warriors, ordering raids against enemies, warning of marauders, or announcing the approach of strangers. The sound emitted by one of these instruments which, it is said, can be heard for many miles, is like the dull, distant boom of a cannon.

Flying Fur-Bearing Animal Reported Found

Without wings and heavier than air, a newly discovered type of fur-bearing animal, or bird that can fly, was reported recently to the French Zoological Society from the wilds of French Cochinchina. About the size of a cat, the creatures are said to rise to a height of several yards by distending their stomachs until they ap-

pear like small balloons. Off the ground, they remain either motionless or slowly paddle themselves along with their webbed feet, not unlike the flight of a dragon fly. They have bills like ducks.

Fighting Fire with Steam Saves Many Oil Wells

In the great oil fields of the West, where the ever-present danger of fire haunts the drillers, steam has been found to be one of the most effective means of combating the flames. As a flash of lightning, a spark from a piece of metal, or a lighted match, may start a blaze that will result in the destruction of millions of dollars' worth of property, ceaseless guard is maintained over the wells. Nevertheless, fires are frequent, and batteries of steam boilers are kept in readiness to fight them, as water would only aid their spread. When a gusher turns into a volcano of liquid fire, it is surrounded by a sand embankment to catch the blazing oil; then huge boilers are



brought up, and jets of live steam are turned into the heart of the flames, slowly smothering them.

DOINGS OF MARLEY FOLK

James Frazier accompanied by his class of Sunday School boys were sight seeing in Chicago Saturday.

The Missionary Society held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Edward Werner, October 18th. The Committee in charge of the dinner were Mesdames H. Sabin, John Sproat, D. Storm, F. Swartz, C. Bostrom and Miss Carrie Kase.

Friday evening a lecture was given in the Marley church by Rev. Field of Batavia, Illinois on "What he Learned in the World War."

Mr. and Mrs. David Storm motor-ed to Aurora last Thursday.

Mr. Howard Aspel moved his family to Lockport Tuesday.

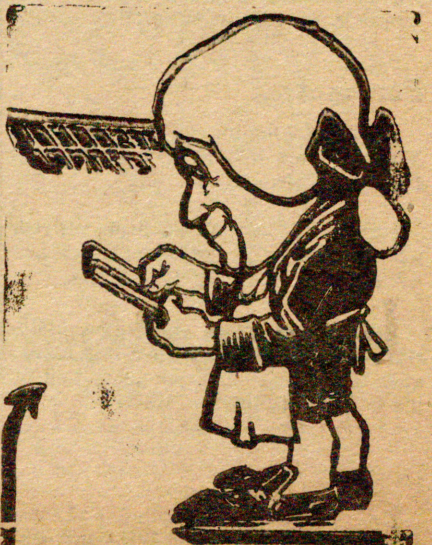
Mr. and Mrs. David Storm, Josie Sharts and Mrs. Hendricks visited at Manhattan last Sunday.

Miss Alma Bostrom spent Sunday in Chicago with relatives.

Mrs. Evelyn Marshall is visiting with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Griffin Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bush moved to Blue Island where Mr. Bush is in the employ of the Public Service Co.

The Women's Missionary Society will hold their annual bazaar Nov. 2 in the Marley church basement. Many beautiful and useful articles will be for sale in various booths. Supper will be served at 6:30 p. m.



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Trite Observation.

No man ever fell up the ladder of fame. The fall is generally in the opposite direction.—Cuba Observer-Dispatch.

Useful Clamp for Stepladder

A simple and useful clamp for the step-ladder, that serves as a rest for holding windows while setting the panes or painting, can be made from two pieces of oak



about 2½ ft. long, with a bolt passing through the center of both as shown; a wingnut is provided on the bolt. It is not necessary to remove the wingnut to attach the clamp. Merely push the clamp over one leg of the stepladder from the inside, and then over the other leg, after which the wingnut is tightened. This tool can be used equally well on a common ladder.

Filling Auto Vacuum Tank

If a funnel and small gasoline can are at hand, the simplest way to fill the automobile vacuum tank is to remove the plug at the top of the tank and pour in the gasoline. If no funnel is available, the best method of filling the tank quickly is as follows: Close the throttle and shut off the ignition, then press the starter switch. It may be necessary, with some starters, to switch on the ignition for a moment, in order that the starter gears may mesh. The action of the motor will then cause enough suction to draw the gasoline from the rear tank into the vacuum tank. The throttle must be kept closed, as otherwise the engine simply draws most of the air through the carburetor, and not enough through the vacuum tank.

Important News Events of the World Summarized

Washington

The government has removed 250,000 barrels of whisky from private warehouses to new concentration warehouses designated by the internal revenue commissioner at Washington, without loss of a gallon by theft.

Governor Pinchot of Pennsylvania, in addressing the prohibition conference of church leaders at Washington, says federal enforcement has utterly failed, and charged agents with graft.

President Coolidge and former Chancellor Cuno discussed the international shipping situation at Washington. Cuno told the President that he has given up politics and now is concerned only with shipping.

A motion asking that indictments against Benedict Crowell, former assistant secretary of war, be quashed, was taken under advisement by Justice Hoehling of the District of Columbia Criminal court at Washington.

Foreign ship wreckers are in evidence at auctions of naval vessels being sold at Washington for scrapping. Inquiries as to whether foreign bids will be considered have been answered, however, in the negative.

Personal

A. Brook Fleming, governor of West Virginia from 1890 to 1893, died at his home at Fairmont, W. Va.

Brig. Gen. Evan M. Johnson, retired, who served with the Seventy-seventh division in France, died in Paris.

Edward Stanwood, eighty-two, historian and former newspaper and magazine editor and correspondent, died at his home at Brookline, Mass.

Domestic

Nine persons were killed and one seriously injured when a Big Four passenger train struck an automobile at a crossing near Fairland, Ind., at eleven o'clock Sunday morning. The train was bound from Cincinnati to Chicago.

Search was abandoned for the tanker City of Everett, believed to have sunk with a crew of thirty men on board in rough seas off Key West, Fla.

Eight children were killed when a train hit a school bus at Rootstown, O.

The Kentland (Ind.) bank, which ousted Governor McCray from its presidency, closed its doors.

Clarence E. Reed, who was learning golf on the links of the Raritan Valley Country club at Somerville, N. J., was accidentally hit on the head and killed by a swinging midiron of a fellow player.

The mayor of Irvington, N. J., died a modern Jean Valjean. His fortune went to blackmailers who knew of a prison term.

After a lively debate, the convention of the American Federation of Labor at Portland, Ore., by an overwhelming vote declared for the modification of the Volstead act to permit the sale of light wines and beer.

The Philadelphia city council's finance committee approved a bill to increase the salary of the mayor from \$12,000 to \$18,000.

Valuable finds of copper ore have been located in the Kaskawitza section, forty miles from the Alaska railroad in the interior, it is reported at Anchorage, Alaska. A pack trail to the district has been opened.

The Oklahoma legislature ignored Walton's message asking anti-Klan law and proceeded with the impeachment plan. Martial law was raised.

Three men were killed and six injured in an explosion on the United States submarine S-37 at San Pedro, Cal. Naval officers said a short circuit in all probability had ignited hydrogen gas.

Death on the gallows on January 4 was the sentence imposed on H. Kels at Stockton, Cal., who confessed the murder of Edward Meservey, aged itinerant laborer, at the Kels ranch on September 12.

Six prominent citizens of Pana, Ill., were killed by moonshine whisky.

Robert S. Lovett, on the advice of his physician, has resigned as chairman of the executive committee of the Union Pacific railroad system at New York. The resignation becomes effective January 1.

Leon Dufon, former manager of the foreign department of the Citizens' Trust company of Buffalo, has been arrested at New Orleans on charges of embezzling \$15,000.

Two dead, scores slightly injured, and property loss estimated at more than \$1,000,000 resulted from the brush fires which swept near Montrose, Eagle Rock and Glendale, Cal.

George Le Boutillier, an office boy in the office of the late Ralph Peters at New York, will succeed Mr. Peters as president of the Long Island railroad. Mr. Le Boutillier is only forty-seven years old.

Six foreigners who were crossing the Detroit river near Ecorse, Mich., in a rowboat were drowned when their craft was upset by a passing lake vessel. Five of those killed were children and the sixth a man.

All stores were flooded and numerous residences were partly submerged by a nine-foot wall of water which swept through parts of Woodward, Okla., when the north Canadian river overflowed.

A letter from Henry Ford's secretary, E. G. Liebold, to Senator James Couzens at Detroit, Mich., reveals that the Ford Motor company made a total net profit of \$7,000,000 on \$90,000,000 worth of war contracts.

Representative Juan Lunas at Manila, recommends that the Philippine islands have a government similar to that of Canada.

Mrs. Murat A. de Rothschild was convicted in the United States court at Baltimore of using the mails to defraud. A scheme to furnish guaranteed tips on horse races was the basis of the charges.

Henry Ford will return his war profits to the government as soon as an audit, which is now in progress, is completed, Ernest G. Liebold secretary to Mr. Ford, said in a statement issued at Detroit, Mich.

A ship sunk, lake traffic practically at a standstill, and two dead increased the toll of the forest fires which have raged over the northern parts of three states for several days, says a St. Paul dispatch.

Knights of the Ku Klux Klan and their women's auxiliary, Kamella, are prohibited forever from acting as an incorporation by an order obtained from Supreme Justice Rosche at Albany, N. Y.

James J. Doolittle, wealthy retired hotel man, was found beaten to death in his home at Redwood, Cal., after his nephew, James Moore, tied up three members of the Doolittle family and robbed the house of jewels. He was captured.

Gasoline sold for seven cents a gallon at a San Antonio (Tex.) supply house, while the price at the filling station ranged from nine to eleven cents. The manager of the supply house said the price would be maintained until the market was stabilized.

Samuel Gompers was re-elected president of the American Federation of Labor at its closing session at Portland, Ore. With him were re-elected his old executive council, consisting of eight vice presidents, a treasurer and a secretary.

Foreign

Chancellor Stresemann, made dictator of Germany, cut the price of coal by abolishing the tax, and will slash bread costs, says a Berlin dispatch.

American relief workers who have been operating at Tokyo under direction of Ambassador Woods have left Japan for Manila. They have completed their work.

Mrs. Charles Augustine Robinson of New York presented to Queen Elizabeth at Brussels a silk American flag in the name of S. S. Antilles Post, No. 146, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

A Koenigsberg dispatch says the military governor of East Prussia has forbidden the exportation of potatoes until such time as the local population has been insured a sufficient supply for the coming winter.

Pirates attacked the American passenger and freight motorboat Wing Nam on the West river at Tengkuan, but they were repulsed. There were no casualties.

William P. F. Ferguson of Franklin, Pa., returned to Port Arthur, Ont., with evidence of discoveries of mine pits on Isle Royale in Lake Superior, which show operations of prehistoric miners.

President Cosgrave addressed the dail at Dublin on the seriousness of the labor situation. He said efforts are being made to settle labor's differences with capital. The ports are tied up and stores of drugs and anesthetics are unobtainable.

The 450 delegates to the World Orthodox Jews' congress at Vienna closed their sessions by adopting six resolutions calling for organization of the race.

Panic raged on the Berlin bourse as the French rejected Germany's offer to aid in putting the Ruhr back at work. Marks sold at 3,800,000,000 to a dollar.

The German president and the chancellor began the dictatorship by ordering all taxes paid in gold.

Something to Think About

By F. A. WALKER

CALENDAR OF YEARS

HE WHO aspires to make his mark should endeavor always to choose the best investment for his time and energy.

The golden hours of opportunity soar swiftly away, and when night hovers about us, we who are resolved to rise above the common level, frequently ask ourselves whether we have improved or wasted the vanished day.

If we have stood on tip-toe, reached up to the highest point to make an imperishable mark, we seldom find cause for self-reproach, though we may not be wholly satisfied with our well-meant accomplishments.

As a matter of truth, the man or woman who is never fully contented with past achievements, who ever feels that he or she by exerting a little more effort might have gone a stride or two farther, is already marching sure-footed toward the glorious heights.

And this is so in every field of worthy endeavor, whether it be preaching or teaching, weaving or forging, or making love.

As fast as we progress, if we have

within us the determination to keep going, we find there is some splendid treasure lying in our path designed for us to pick up and store away for future use.

By retaining this precious thing, to which we prudently add others, we in time acquire capabilities whose value is everywhere recognized.

The learning we get in this manner gives us wisdom. The experience we obtain from patient work, close observation, civility and hard rubs, teaches us how to apply our wisdom to the best advantage.

Experience is as essential to achievement as is wisdom.

On the other hand, those fickle and frivolous humans who run one day and shamble the next, never certain of their course, become notoriously inefficient, unable to avoid the dust in the rear, while they shuffle along with weary feet and broken hearts.

Every day you will see their wistful, disappointed faces.

And if you listen, you will hear their bitter words of self-condemnation rustling along the walls of their frowning prison of servitude, from which there is no escape, except by the turn-back of the calendar of the years.

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Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

GOOD BOOKS

IN A MAN'S hours of relaxation he needs human companionship. He cannot play without somebody to play with. And he needs play to develop his intellect evenly as much as he needs work.

Men who do not know how to play are to be pitied. They grow dull and morose. Nobody wants to associate with them. They lead unhappy, lonely lives, and die unlamented.

But the wise youth makes a budget of his time as the shrewd business man makes a budget of his expenses.

Leisure must be apportioned wisely—a part to be spent in the company of men—a part to be spent in the company of books.

Books contain the best that there is in really great men.

Not only are they necessary to development, but they are splendid companions.

The lad who spends his time with dull companions in a pool room when he might be listening to Emerson, or Huxley or Spencer is a very foolish youth.

Novels, if they are the right sort, are almost, if not quite as instructive as works on philosophy and science.

The learning that the great novelists disclose in their stories incites a desire for information. Many a man has acquired and allayed a thirst for education by a passage in a good novel.

If you are in doubt as to the best books to read, consult a librarian in any public library.

He or she, if you state your desires, will map out for you a useful course in reading.

Mother's Cook Book

The bravest battle that ever was fought—
Shall I tell you where and when?
On the maps of the world you will find it not;
'Twas fought by the mothers of men.

Nay, not with cannon or battle shot,
With sword or nobler pen,
Nay, not with eloquent word or thought,
From the mouths of wonderful men.

But deep in the walled-up woman's heart,
Of women that would not yield,
But bravely, silently, bore her part,
Lo! there is the battlefield.

GOOD EATS FOR THE FAMILY

A NY fresh fish may be baked in the following manner; but halibut is especially good:

Baked Halibut.
Arrange six slices of salt pork in a dripping pan. Cover with one sliced onion and add a bit of bay leaf. Wipe two pounds of halibut and place on the pork and onion. Cover with a paste prepared with three tablespoonfuls each of butter and flour mixed together. Over all sprinkle three-quarters of a cupful of buttered cracker crumbs and arrange five strips of pork over the crumbs. Bake 50 minutes. Serve with a sauce from two tablespoonfuls of fat in the pan, two tablespoonfuls of flour, one cupful of milk. Season well to taste and serve garnished with lemon and parsley.

Cheese Sandwiches.
These are nice with a cup of tea or as a supper dish. Cut stale bread in one-quarter-inch slices, spread with butter and sprinkle with salt and cayenne. Put a slice of cheese between each two slices of bread and fry in a little butter until delicately browned on both sides.

Oyster Croquettes.
Strain the juice from a pint of oys-

ters, cut the oysters fine and return to the liquor, add two beaten eggs, one teaspoonful of salt, a dash of cayenne, and enough cracker crumbs to mix into croquettes. Dip into egg and crumbs and fry in hot fat. Serve with cabbage salad.

Nellie Maxwell
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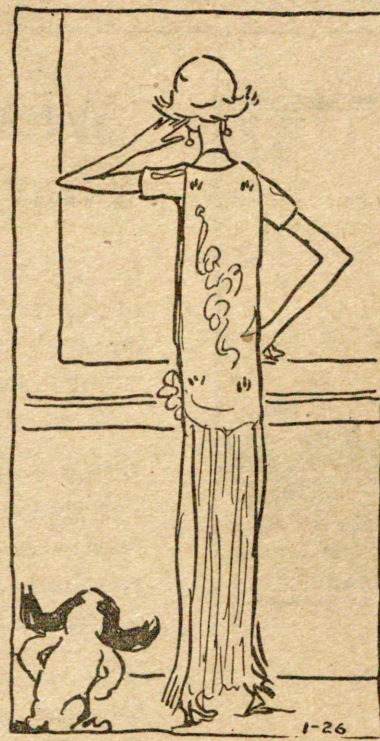
Has Anyone Laughed At You Because—

By ETHEL R. PEYSER

You forget anniversaries? Haven't you been laughed at in rather a weepy way because you forget birthdays, or your wedding anniversary, or the child's birthday or the mother-in-law's something of other? Well maybe you have. But haven't you been pretty much involved in keeping your home on the outside of its inhabitants? Should you have kept your note book in your mind you would probably not have done your job well. Yet there is no gain-saying the man that can do the woman that can combine these little big things with the big little things is a wonder; there are few of us who have the kind of make-up that can do the job well and remember every little detail of home life, too.

So
Your Get-away here is:
You Have Tried to Remember
and You Can't Always
Be Perfect.
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The Young Lady Across the Way



The young lady across the way says she certainly admires the person who gives just for the sake of giving, without any desire to get any credit for it, and who merely signs his charity checks A Friend.

SCHOOL DAYS



When it is given to you, follow it. Don't read merely for entertainment. Think about what you are reading, for in that way alone you can get the message the author has for you.

Give a portion of your time every day to good books, and gradually and without your noticing it, they will supply you with the education that all men must have before they can ever enter the gateway of success.
(© by John Blake.)

THE TALISMAN

By GRACE E. HALL

T'WAS a little vine-wreathed cottage Just within the edge of town,
Roses clung to eaves and trellis,
And their petals drifted down,
While a tragic scene was acted
Just inside the cozy room,
Where a man and woman labored,
Lost to morning cheer and bloom;
Gathered here and there the objects,
Dear mementoes—now forlorn—
Of the day they entered gaily
On their happy wedding morn.

From the wall he took a picture,
From a shelf she lifted books,
Silently they stripped the cottage,
Leaving bare its pleasant nooks;
Eyes and voices cold and lifeless,
Each avoided other's way,
Soon they cleared the little parlor
Of the things they'd meant to stay;
When, from out a crowded trunk-till
Tumbled something small and white,
And a flood of burning tear-drops
Hid the object from their sight.

Just a baby's shoe, quite shapeless,
With a hole in one wee toe,
But it told a heart-break story
Of their dreams of long ago;
Each one stooped to grasp the token
That was lying on the floor,
And at last two hearts were broken
From their icy chill once more;
Sobbingly two voices mingled
In a name that came to mind,
While hands clasped o'er a baby's shoe
That Fate had chanced to find!
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SAFETY FIRST.
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PROUD WOOD

A table and a lamp and a chair were talking when all was quiet in the house.

All the members of the family had gone to bed, for the table and the lamp and the chair could never have talked if anyone had been around to hear them.

Although, it is true, no one could have understood them, for the talk of a table and a lamp and a chair is very, very strange. Only the objects themselves can understand what they say.

"I am very nice," said the lamp. "Of course I suppose I should be more modest and wait for some one else to compliment me, but if I did wait I might have to wait too long, and that would never do."

"I think I shall always make sure of being complimented by not waiting for others to compliment me, but by complimenting myself. Don't you think that shows wisdom?"

"Doubtless it does, doubtless it does," said the table.

"But of course, lamp," the table continued, "you're not so nice when you haven't been filled. You're an oil lamp, and you have to be filled quite often."

"I'm not nice when I'm not filled," said the lamp. "That is perfectly true. But, then, it is not my fault. I cannot fill myself with oil."

"I have to be carried out to the woodhouse where the oil is kept and filled there, and I can't do that myself. One would hardly expect all that of a lamp. I think I do enough as it is."

"Even if that should be expected of a lamp, it would be impossible for me to do."

"So I say, 'never expect too much and then you won't be disappointed.' I don't suppose that thought is original with me, but, then, though I'm a bright lamp when lighted, I'm not supposed to think up great and wise things."

"I'm supposed to give light to people when they read wise books and funny books, and when they look at pictures, and when they talk and play games."

"I give cheer during the long winter evenings. And if, by chance, I have not been filled and so go out, I'm sorry about it."

"I hate to hear the disappointed people say:

"Oh, dear, that lamp was forgotten about today. Yes, it makes me sad."

"It is as though one expected a person to do a lot of work on an empty stomach to expect a lamp to burn that has not been filled."

"But I compliment myself, for I'm a good, friendly old lamp, and I give an excellent light."

"Of course young wicks get excited sometimes, and then I burn unevenly, but accidents will happen, and the best of us make mistakes."

"That isn't so very original, either, but it's true."

"Well," said the table, "I am what might be called a proud piece of wood. Not only am I used to hold books and games and you, my good friend lamp, but when people want to have good luck they knock on me."

"They do the same to me," said the chair. "I'm glad I'm a wooden chair, for I heard of a dentist's chair which was far from being a favorite."

"In fact, a little girl made up these lines about it:

It takes a lot of do and dare
To actually go to a dentist's chair,
But once you're really, truly there,
You feel as brave as a fine big bear."

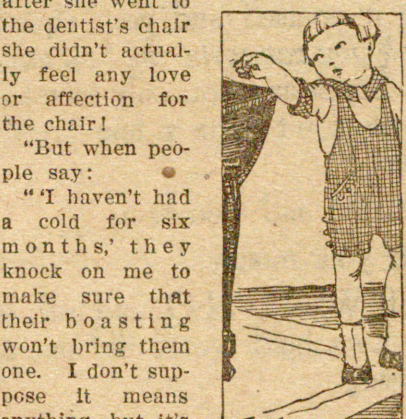
Of course she showed by that verse that while she was proud of herself after she went to the dentist's chair she didn't actually feel any love or affection for the chair!

"But when people say:

"I haven't had a cold for six months," they knock on me to make sure that their boasting won't bring them one. I don't suppose it means anything, but it's a nice compliment to the Wood family."

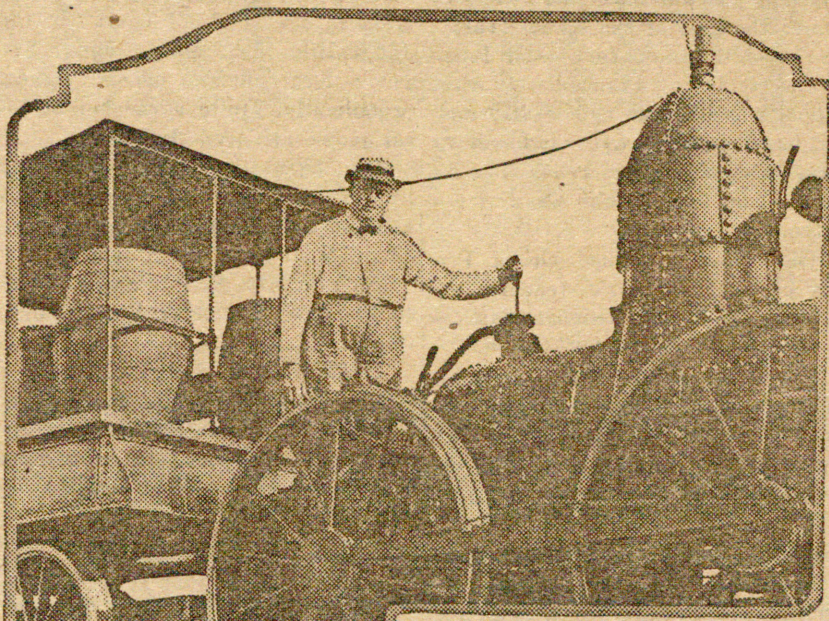
"Indeed it is," said the table, "and so I think the Wood family may well be proud of itself. I know I am. I feel as pleased as can be when people give me a little rap when they've boasted as though I'd protect them and see that their good luck continued."

"All nonsense, perhaps, but it's a source of joy to the family, and so while creatures call me a table I think of myself always as PROUD WOOD!"



"They Knock on Me."

American Farm Bureau



In the picture President O. E. Bradfute of the American Farm Bureau federation is shown at the throttle of engine 8000, the latest type of Mikado engine, the most powerful in the world, and at the throttle of the DeWitt Clinton of 1831, the first train to operate in the state of New York.

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FEDERATED GROWERS MOVING BIG TONNAGE

Hold Dominant Position in Apple and Potato Markets.

The autumn harvest of the 25,000 growers comprising the Federated Fruit and Vegetable Growers, developed at the first of this year by the marketing committee of 21 of the American Farm Bureau federation, is centering the largest tonnage of fruits and vegetables ever to go through a centralized, national co-operative sales service.

With 175 branch offices and representatives covering practically all carlot markets of the United States, and with sales contracts in Canada and abroad, the grower-owned and controlled sales service has gained favor rapidly, resulting in an increased membership of co-operative organizations of growers, and a well-balanced list of products to be sold during the remainder of the year.

Sixteen co-operative associations in Michigan organized this summer into the Michigan Fruit Growers, Inc., are marketing a heavy tonnage of grapes, largely Concord, through the Federated; also peaches, apples, pears, and plums. Apples and pears are being sold for the Illinois Fruit exchange, which with 900 members organized into a chain of local associations joined the national sales organization early in the season.

During the summer season a number of the western members of the Federated, such as the Wenatchee-Okanogan Co-operative federation and the Inland Empire Co-operative federation, which have well organized fruit and vegetable associations in Washington, Oregon and Idaho, have extended their organization activities to control a large per cent of the products from those states now being handled by the Federated.

With a heavy tonnage of apples and pears, the 1923 deal of the Western New York Fruit Growers' Co-operative Packing association is now active. Peaches and some early apples have been going to the market for the past four weeks; fall apples are now being harvested and a heavy tonnage of winter varieties are to come later. Last year this Federated member shipped 3,000 cars. The distribution shows the fruit was sold into 211 markets in 26 states and three foreign countries. The member's apples were shipped steadily from October 7 until the first week in May with no greater variance than ten cars per week from an average shipment of 70 cars per week throughout the entire seven months' period. The continued merchandising of the "Catact" brand of apples for this member has placed the product in an enviable position in the carlot markets of the country.

Co-operative fruit tonnage from Colorado has come into the "limelight" this season with the organization of the United Fruit Growers' association, which through its affiliation with the Federated has been placing branded peaches, apples and other fruits upon the carlot markets of the country.

The government co-operative packing plant at Inwood, W. Va., operating through the Inwood Fruit Growers' club, and putting up a superior pack known as the "Johnny Appleseed" brand, joined the Federated sales service this year.

The strengthening of the local units of the Ohio Fruit Growers' Co-operative association has greatly increased membership and tonnage of the Ohio growers.

Bartlett pears, Elberta peaches, prunes and apples from a number of newly-formed co-operative associations in Utah, similar tree fruits from the organized growers of Idaho and New Jersey are adding important tonnage that for the most part is the result of the first year's efforts in co-operative marketing.

Although apples occupy the heaviest one commodity tonnage of the newly-organized associations, and grapes, pears and other tree fruits comprise a generous amount in the fall harvests, co-operatively marketed potatoes make the Federated a dominant factor in the vegetable markets of the country.

The Federated is marketing a tonnage of 10,000 cars of tubers for the Maine Potato exchange.

Late onions, chiefly yellow, are moving in quantity to the carlot markets of the country through the Federated for the Indiana Farm Bureau Onion Growers' exchange, recently organized with 60 per cent of the onion growers of that state signed on a five-year contract.

The citrus fruit sold by the Federated was greatly increased by the tonnage of the Mutual Orange distributors, which recently joined the national, co-operative sales service. This organization is the second largest, non-profit co-operative citrus association in California, and insures the Federated of a heavy tonnage of oranges and citrus fruits out of California.

The Gulf Coast Citrus exchange, in line with the rapid development of the Satusoma industry in southern Alabama, also joined the Federated recently, thus centering the tonnage in this fruit out of that district through the co-operative plan.

The watermelon growers of Georgia, organized in the Southwest Georgia Watermelon Growers' association, received higher prices this year for their watermelons than ever before, and in a season when practically every early watermelon district reported poor results. According to reports just received from that area, the Federated plan of national, co-operative selling will be followed next season by the great majority of growers in that entire territory.

FRUIT ASSOCIATIONS UNITE

Michigan Growers Control Tonnage of More Than 4,000 Cars—Push Organization.

The Michigan Fruit Growers, Inc., is making wonderful progress in the organization of Michigan's co-operative fruit marketing industry. Within the past few months it has organized 75 per cent of the co-operative packing house output in the state and today controls a tonnage of more than 4,000 cars of peaches, apples, grapes and pears. It is working forward to a goal of 5,000 cars of fruit to be marketed through the farmer-owned and controlled Michigan Fruit Growers, Inc.

The Michigan Fruit Growers, Inc., is affiliated with the Michigan State Farm Bureau under the commodity control type of organization. Offices at Benton Harbor have been opened, with Secretary F. L. Bradford in charge.

SELL POTATOES IN LOUISIANA

Farm Bureau Exchange Handled 105 Cars of Tubers at Average Price of \$2.01.

The Louisiana Farm Bureau Irish potato growers' exchange during the past season marketed 105 cars of Triumph potatoes at an average price of \$2.01 per hundred pounds, according to a general report recently prepared by A. G. Hamilton, market specialist of the Louisiana State university extension department and acting sales manager of the exchange.

Utilize New Law.

The Rock Island (Illinois) Milk Producers' company has been organizing under the direction of the Illinois Agriculture association, assisted by the co-operative marketing department of the American Farm Bureau federation. This co-operative is the first one to be organized under the new Illinois co-operative law. It has 200 members, all of whom are signed upon the four-pool standard American Farm Bureau federation contract.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

Sunday School 'Lesson'

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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LESSON FOR OCTOBER 21

ISRAEL IN THE MIDST OF THE NATIONS

LESSON TEXT—Josh. 1:1-4; Isa. 2:2-4; Isa. 19:23-25; Ezek. 5:5.

GOLDEN TEXT—"Look unto me and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth."—Isa. 45:22.

PRIMARY TOPIC—The Beautiful Land of Israel.

JUNIOR TOPIC—The Land God Chose for His People.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Israel in the Midst of the Nations.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Strategic Position of Palestine.

I. Israel's Geographical Position

(Josh. 1:1-4, cf. Ezek. 5:5).

Israel, God's chosen and most favored nation, the nation to whom He came nearest and gave most in order that it might pass on His goodness to the other nations of the world, was given a most strategic position in the earth. "Palestine was adapted as no other country for God's great purpose of preparing a pure religion and sending it to all the world. To this end a single nation was selected, trained and placed in the center of the world, so that when the time came to publish the true religion all lands could be reached. Palestine was central and isolated, yet accessible, for when the time came for the apostles to go from Palestine by the Mediterranean sea to the lands round about it, and from there to other lands, their way was open."

1. Their Leader (Josh. 1:1). Joshua was Moses' assistant. He led the Israelites to victory over the Amalekites soon after their escape from Egypt. He was with Moses in the Mount when the law was given. He was one of the spies sent into the land of Canaan. When Moses knew that his time of departure was high he appointed Joshua his successor.

2. Condition of the Possession of the Land (v. 3). The land was theirs by God's promise, but it became theirs only as their feet advanced to take possession of it. Because of their lack of faith, courage and obedience they never enjoyed the full possession of it. Christians today lack the riches of the Heavenly Father's blessings because of their want of faith and courage.

3. Its Boundaries (v. 4). On the north it was bounded by the rugged mountains of Lebanon; on the east by the Euphrates river; on the south by the "great and terrible" desert, a barren region through which the children of Israel had wandered for forty years; and on the west by the Mediterranean sea. It included all of Mesopotamia. Israel's lack of faith prevented them from possessing fully this land.

II. Israel's Spiritual and National Position (Isa. 2:2-4; 19:23-25).

This pictures the place of influence which shall be exercised by Israel in a future time.

1. When It Shall Be (v. 2)—"In the last days." By "last days" is usually meant in Scripture the times of the Messiah, for this is the primary subject of all prophecy.

2. What It Shall Be (v. 2). The restoration of the kingdom of Judah to the place of pre-eminence among the nations of the world. "Mountain" in Scripture symbolizes kingdom (see Dan. 2:35; Rev. 13:1, 17:9-11). This vision of Zion's glory refers to the millennial age, at which time other nations of the world will learn of the true God through the chosen nation.

3. The Result of (vv. 2-4). The return of God's favor to this chosen people shall be "life from the dead." To the nations of the earth (Rom. 11:15).

(1) Nations shall flow unto it (v. 2). This pictures the masses of the people moving toward Jerusalem like streams from all parts of the earth. (2) Nations encouraging each other (v. 3). All jealousies are now taken from nations, and with good will to each other they are moving to Jerusalem, the world's capital. They are going there to be taught of God the right ways to walk. They go to be instructed out of His holy Word. There is but one way to peace in the world, that is, back to God through His holy Scriptures. (3) Peace in the earth (v. 4). When Israel shall be in her God-appointed place with Jesus Christ as king, then war will be over. The implements of war will then be destroyed. (4) Friendly communication (Isa. 19:23-25). As soon as wickedness is taken from men's hearts they will establish means of friendly communication.

Good Tidings.

How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings.—Isa. 52:7.

Holy Scripture.

Holy Scripture is a stream of running water, where alike the elephant may swim, and the lamb walk without losing its feet.—Gregory the Great.

Cultivated Countries.

Countries are well cultivated, not as they are fertile, but as they are free.—Montesquieu.

Worship.

Be not so bigoted to any custom as to worship it at the expense of truth.—Zimmerman.

Back Given Out?

It's hard to do one's work when every day brings morning lameness, throbbing backache, and a dull, tired feeling. If you suffer thus, why not find out the cause? Likely it's your kidneys. Headaches, dizziness and bladder irregularities may give further proof that your kidneys need help. Don't risk neglect! Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands have been helped by Doan's. They should help you. Ask your neighbor!

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"Yes," replied the new and careless private.

"Yes—what?" roared the captain.

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MOKENA SCHOOL NOTES

The seventh and eighth grades enjoyed a "weenie roast" at Cappel's Grove the first of the school year.

The sixth grade took their lunch to the picnic grove immediately after school a short time ago. Watermelon, buns, weenies, and marshmallows were eaten with great relish. The report is that but one bun was left uneaten.

The school remained closed Friday on account of the teachers attending the county teachers institute at Joliet.

The members of the Freshmen class of the high school gave a surprise party on Wednesday night at the home of George Walsh, a member of the class in honor of his birthday. A pleasant evening was enjoyed. Games and music were the diversion.

Helen Neilsen of the seventh grade has been awarded a gold pin by the county superintendent for two years of perfect attendance.

Velma Klose won in a sixth grade contest last week. The contest was similar to an old fashioned spelling match, but synonyms were required instead of the correct spelling of the words.

MOKENA M. E. CHURCH

The little White Church in the middle of the Square.

A. R. Mangus, Pastor, Chicago address 4949 Indiana Avenue.

Services Sunday Oct. 21—
Sunday School 10:30. The happy hour 7:30. Sermon "The Great Confession." A welcome for all.

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The tri-annual meeting of the Will County Home Improvement Clubs held at the community house in Plain field on Tuesday was very largely attended. Mokena, Frankfort, New Lenox and Marley turned out in full force. Demonstrations were given by various members which were very instructive as well as interesting.

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NEW LENOX

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Craven left Tuesday for Springfield where Mr. Craven attended an Odd Fellows convention and from there they go to Mount Sterling to visit relatives.

Not Hard to Determine.
There are usually two viewpoints of value of work—that of the worker and that of the employer. The one may overestimate as much as the other underestimates. Approximate value may lie between them, and is easily determined when the laborer is worthy of his hire.—Grit.

FRANKFORT

Frankfort is all agog over the famous mule case which is being tried in the circuit court before Judge Hill. Levi Doty, aged 87 years, local humane officer figures prominently. Quite a number of local people attended the trial.

The Frankfort Grain Company have had their elevator painted white and the name of the company painted on it in large black letters.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warning visited in Chicago Heights Sunday with friends.

The Methodist church will hold a bazaar and supper at the church parlors the afternoon and evening of October 24th. There will be various booths and all kinds of articles on sale.

A halloween program will be given by the pupils of the Frankfort public school at the school on the evening of October 26.

The first card party of the season will be held by the Frankfort R. N. A., at the hall on October 24th commencing at 8 p. m.

The piano recital given at the M. E. church last Friday night by the pupils of Mrs. Lydia Esslinger-Hollstein assisted by Misses Gertrude and Emma Esslinger of Chicago, was very largely attended. Everyone present enjoyed the musical treat.

The last dance of the season was held at the Borman grove by the Industrial Club last Saturday and in spite of the rainy night there was a good attendance.

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WORTH

That there is profiteering going on in the coal business was brought out by a chance to lay in a supply of good lump coal at \$6.75 per ton whereas otherwise they would pay \$9.50 to \$12 a ton. The villagers clubbed together and bought a car of 43 tons at the mine at \$4.75 per ton. I. N. Empie handled the deal. The entire carload was disposed of in a day and Mr. Empie is about to place an order for another car of coal.

The Wabash railroad is installing the new automatic wig-wag signals at their 111th street and Depot street crossings. A number of serious accidents have happened at the former crossings and it is hoped that the new signals will help toward avoiding such accidents in the future. Just the past week one of our local autoists had a narrow escape. He failed to see an approaching train while he was about to cross this crossing and he just had time enough to turn his auto into the ditch to avoid being struck.

While Mr. Stonmeter was driving on 56th Avenue he was run into by a speeder. He escaped injury but his car was quite badly damaged.

Our motor cycle policeman has been on the sick list for several days.

The Worth M. E. church is without a regular. The charge is being supplied by students.

Mrs. Perkins and daughter Cecelia who attended the funeral of the former's sister, Mrs. I. N. Empie, returned to their home in Loveland, Iowa the past week.

Harry Daniels has a new sedan Chevrolet car.

Mrs. Carl Bishop and children, Mrs. Ida Lucas, Miss Margaret Ruth and Mrs. Edward Bishop, Sr., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Sproat on Maple Road, Marley the past week.

Some Ancient Dyes.

The process of mordanting—fixing dyes in textiles by metallic salts—was known 2500 years ago. One of the earliest dyes was kermes, a scarlet worm, known later as vermillion, which name survives in vermilion.

Observatories Long Used.

Observatories are a very ancient invention. The first historical observatory was founded in Alexandria about 300 B. C. and Europe did not follow suit until 472 A. D.

The Brown Mouse

By HERBERT QUICK

Did you ever hear of a mouse that did any good? Neither have we; but it appears that there is a brown one which has a great faculty for stirring up things in mouse society; and when a human is born with some of the characteristics of this little animal, he always manages to make a stir in his circles.

If you are a farmer you are going to revel in this story, for, along with some very delightful romance, it carries a number of ideas that are sure to be valuable in your business. If you are a town person it carries some ideas that will greatly interest you, and you will be charmed by its love story. Read about Jim Irwin, the human brown mouse, who dared to aspire to the affections of the queen mouse of his district.

New Serial Story Starting in

THE NEWS-BULLETIN

Do You Know That—

an earthquake is sometimes not always preceded by a few shocks, and it is invariably followed by numerous shocks of this character. The aftershocks sometimes continue for years. More than 3,000 aftershocks were registered by seismographs during the two years following the great Mino-Owari earthquake, in Japan, which occurred Oct. 28, 1891.

To Our Clergymen

Did You Ever Think What Advertising Would Do To Build Up Your Church?

You know that churches in all the big cities advertise, and they have found it most profitable to do so.

If it is a success in the city, why wouldn't it be a success right here in our home town?

You know it would be if you only had the nerve to try it.

Let's reason the thing out. Every Sunday morning you speak to about the same people. That isn't growth. That's hardly holding your own. You know the people you want to reach are the people who never come to church.

If they don't come to church, how are you going to reach them?

Through this newspaper, that's how.

Supposing you got your official board to approve of a moderate expenditure of say \$100 a year. That's a small sum when you spread it over 50 weeks of advertising. That would give you a \$2 space in this newspaper every week.

There are special agencies which prepare church advertisements, if you don't feel capable of doing it yourself and your church will give you this information. BUT we think you can write the best advertisements yourself, for you know your town. Supposing you only increased your congregation ten per cent the first year, wouldn't it be a fine investment? Of course it would. And it can be done.

But don't try it for a month and then stop.

That would be wasting your money.

Ivory Soap, Cream of Wheat, H-O and all of those other well-advertised articles that are household words did not achieve their success except after years of advertising.

That old motto, "Keeping everlastingly at it brings success," applies to advertising.

The road is open to you. This paper stands ready to help.

You want to grow.

You want to reach out.

Advertising is the answer.

Fill those empty pews with new people.